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## Large and Active Attendance at Non-Political Farmers' Meeting

**Eleven Resolutions Passed Relative to Relieving Heavy Burden Carried by Men of the Land — Will Ship Grain by New Route as Protest High Lake Rate**

Viking, November 9th  
An audience of five hundred farmers and citizens of the town and district answered the appeal to come together to discuss mutual problems arising from the low price of farm products, at a meeting held in the Elks' hall at Viking, Saturday afternoon, November 5th. The meeting had been sponsored by a group of seven farmers as a non-political affair, and to say the least, from a point of attendance, the meeting was a real success.

After singing O'Canada, the gathering elected B. C. Gilpin, chairman, and W. H. Wallace, secretary of the meeting.

The chairman in his opening remarks, gave the following reasons and review of the situation as the committee saw it:

**CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH**  
The majority of the people in the Viking district follow mixed farming methods. A large amount of livestock is raised and this town has a good creamery owned and operated by the farmers for over twenty years.

We have been favored with reasonably good crops and can honestly state that we have produced our share of grain, meat, poultry and dairy products for the market of the world. In spite of these facts and owing to conditions beyond our control (many of them brought about by governmental action), the farmers of this district are rapidly going bankrupt.

One of the obvious reasons for this is the low price of farm products and other reasons will be stated before we conclude.

Mortgage companies are taking possession of farms and other mortgagors are being forced to sign crop leases when it is an utter impossibility for farmers to meet any capital charges and continue to operate their farms.

In view of this disastrous movement which is overwhelming this district and which is ousting the rightful owners of land which many of them homesteaded and improved, we ask that the following requests be gravely considered and acted upon.

Inasmuch as we are asking for partial repudiation of signed contracts, we draw your attention to the following resolutions:

- 25 per cent of average value taken 7 bushels of wheat to buy a 95 lb. sack of second grade flour, takes 2 bushels to pay the freight to the lakes on 3 bushels. Takes 25,000 bushels to buy a \$5,000 government salary.
- Oats  
Five to 10 cents per bushel, takes 10 bushels Extra No. 1 feed oats to buy 10 lbs. rolled oats.
- Barley  
Eight to 11 cents.

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## In Flanders' Fields

In Flanders' Fields the poppies blow  
Between the crosses row on row  
That mark our place; and in the sky  
The larks, still bravely singing, fly,  
Scarce heard amid the guns below.  
We are the dead. Short days ago  
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
Loved and were loved, and now we lie  
In Flanders' Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe!  
To you from failing hands we throw  
The torch. Be yours to lift it high!  
If ye break faith with us who die  
We shall not sleep, though poppies blow  
In Flanders' Fields.

France, 1917. Lt.-Col. John McCrea.

In loving remembrance of those brave men who gave their all in the great conflict of 1914-1918.

## C. G. I. T. Joyspreaders Present Report

On the evening of November 8, the C.G.I.T. Group, the Joyspreaders, met in the church, opening their meeting by singing. Then Mrs. Locke took the devotional period, closing this with prayer. The minutes of last meeting were read and accepted, after which the roll was called, seven girls and Mrs. Locke answering. A general discussion of business followed. It was decided that the next meeting should take the form of a sewing bee, with each girl bringing suitable material for a quilt, as they have decided to make one to send to a mission. A large kettle of taffy, which had been cooking during the meeting, by this time had finished cooking so the girls proceeded to enjoy a taffy pull, after which the meeting was brought to a close by singing Taps.

William Black left this morning for Vancouver and other coast points to spend the winter months.

## NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Kinsella, November 9.  
The teachers of Kinsella wish to give the following report on the dance held in the school house on Friday evening, November 4th, in aid of the Christmas concert:  
Advance sale of tickets and donations \$23.00  
Tickets at dance 22.25

Total proceeds \$45.25  
Expenses \$6.55  
Net proceeds 38.70  
We wish to thank all those who helped with the lunch, also those who kindly donated money or time.

Mr. Watson and daughter, Edith, on their return they were accompanied by Mr. Yankee Watson (son of the former), who has spent the last few years in the Peace River country.

Miss Dora Eckert arrived home on Monday from Edmonton, where she has just completed her nurses' training course at the Royal Alexandra hospital.

The dance held in the school house Friday night was a huge success, both socially and financially.

Miss LaRue, of Greenhills, was a week end visitor to Kinsella.

Miss Eunice Cameron and her brother visited friends in Kinsella over the week end.

Mr. P. O. Huse motored to Vermilion on Sunday.

Messrs F. Williams and W. L. Ferris were Edmonton visitors last week.

Miss Marion Watson of Heath spent the week end with her parents here.

Mrs. Brown, Miss Madge Vorhes, and Mr. Ernie Pearson, of Loughheed, were guests of Miss Kathleen Ferris on Sunday.

Mr. J. Holmes visited in the city last week.

Mr. Charles Turnbull is attending the U.G.G. convention in Winnipeg and Mrs. R. L. Eaton entertained at a birthday dinner on Tuesday this week.

The meeting in honor of Mrs. R. McCormack and Mr. W. L. Ferris. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. McCormack, Mrs. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and the Misses Ella McCormack, Kathleen Ferris and Violet Williams and Mr. Eddie Jewell.

## Remarkable Increase In Attendance at Y.P. Meets

A remarkable increase was shown in the attendance of the Young Peoples' Society, Sunday evening, November 6.

We all had smiling faces when our president, secretary and pianist took their places in front of such a large audience of young people, also our pastor and Mrs. Geeson.

The meeting was opened with a hymn followed by a scripture reading from the Book of Timothy, given by Mr. G. Dawson. A hymn was sung by all again then our president asked for the advice and opinion of his listeners on several viewpoints and future plans.

Miss Eleanor Barber, being in charge of the devotional Sunday, favored us with a very fitting talk, her topic being "Are Leaders Born or Made?" This was followed by a hymn, then Mr. Geeson spoke a few words of prayer prior to our departure.

It was planned that the young people would meet at the home of Mrs. Locke to prepare for their assistance to the choir on Wednesday evening, November 9. Each regular meeting will be different as to topics. Next Sunday being Missionary Sunday, Mr. A. Gamble is in charge.

## Noted Speaker Will Be Heard at Special Anniversary Services U.C.

**Dr. Dobson, Secretary, Western Board of Evangelism, to Address Several Meetings—Anniversary Supper, November 14**

Next Sunday the special anniversary services under auspices of the United church, will be held. In the afternoon at 3 p.m., Dr. Dobson will preach at Albert school and in the evening at 7:30 p.m. he will preach in town. The choir are making arrangements for special music and we are looking forward to a most inspiring service. Dr. Dobson is the Western Secretary of the Board of Evangelism and Social Service and has his office in Vancouver, B.C. He is an outstanding speaker and brings a message that no one can possibly afford to miss.

Under the pressure of hard times and the suffering entailed, the attention of the world is being concentrated upon Christian World Order and the Kingdom of God Movement. L. F. Jacks in a recent article in "Public Opinion," points out that the issues between the best and the worst are now being joined on a world scale as never before in history. From the point of view of the Mission of Christ, he says, "Never was there less cause for despair." The church has a supreme opportunity the world over. A new world order is in the making. Have we enough sacrificial spirit in the church to meet the challenge and work for a Christian World Order? What should the Christian church do? What should a Christian family do? What should a Christian community do? Dr. Dobson's theme is the "Christian World Order" and no topic could be more timely. All are invited to these services.

On Monday, November 14, the Anniversary supper will be served in the church from 6 p.m. on and this will be followed by a social for which asplendid program is arranged.

There was a splendid gathering at Roseberry school on the occasion of the Alma Mater and Roseberry ladies' Aid Supper and Sale of Work. There were over three sittings at two large tables which, of course, meant a packed house for the social hour which followed. A most excellent program was arranged, and judging from the frequent applause, all had a most enjoyable time. The sale, too, was successful and a goodly sum was realized. The ladies of the aid wish to thank all who helped in any way to make this occasion a success.

## Remembrance Day Will Be Public Holiday

In every city and town within the Dominion of Canada, Remembrance Day, November 11th, will be observed as a public holiday. All business places will be closed, banks and schools. This occasion marks the fourteenth anniversary of the signing of the Armistice which brought to an end the Great War and turned human thoughts to the ways of peace. At the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of November millions of people will remember those who lie in Flanders' fields 'neath crosses row on row and will offer prayers that the sacrifice has not been in vain.

## C. S. E. T. NOTES

World peace can only come when the youth of the entire world has been educated to understand the foolishness and horror of war and to see the joys and benefits of a peaceful land. At this Armistice season it is well to remember this as a duty to the youth of our own country.

They must be taught to hate the sword, to put it out of their thinking as a means of solving their problems, to settle differences in a reasonable discussion around a table before the strong invincible union against those who, in self seeking greed determine to destroy life and all that life holds dear.

All glory and honor to those who fought and died for us overseas and may their memory and example strengthen us in the determination that our youth of today be brought up for some greater purpose than to be used for cannon fodder.

W. A. GAMBLE, Mentor.

## TRAIL RANGERS WILL SELL XMAS CARDS

Here's news! In order to raise funds for the group the 22 members of the Sioux Trail Rangers of Irma have decided to sell Christmas cards. They have a real select-on-inexpensive but select—appropriately packed—with colored envelopes to match—and are retailing them at 50c a box. For each box sold the group keeps 10 cents and another 10 cents goes to the provincial Boys' Work Board. They will be swinging into action in another week on their selling campaign, so have the odd change handy and take advantage of this saving in Christmas cards, when they come to your door.

BENNY MAGUIRE, Tally.

Mr. J. W. Milburn was in charge in the store during Mr. Fletcher's absence.

## CUSTOM CHOPPING

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PRICES AS FOLLOWS  
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No one job for less than 25 cents.

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**TALKING PICTURES  
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Lest We Forget.

Fourteen years have come and gone since that momentous eleventh hour of the eleventh day, of the eleventh month of 1918, when the armistice which ended hostilities in the greatest war in the history of mankind became effective. Once again the people of Canada observe "Remembrance Day,"—a day on which they pay tribute to the memory of the thousands of their fellow citizens, men and women, who gave their lives in a cause which to them, and to us who survive, was a sacred, a noble cause, namely, a war to end war.

But as we look back over those fourteen years, and as we view the state of the world today, we are perplexed as we seek an answer to the question: Has war, after all, been ended? We are disturbed and suffer disquietude as we contemplate the present world situation. Were the sacrifices of 1914-1918 all in vain? Is something worse to follow?

The nations of the world have not disarmed; quite the reverse is true. Armaments are greater and more deadly today than they were in July, 1914. There have been numerous attempts to reduce armaments, but none to do away with them altogether, and the attempts at reduction have been feeble and for the most part ineffective.

Under the terms of the Peace Treaty Germany was disarmed, and her allies reduced to a position of impotence for the time being. But in disarming Germany, the Allies tacitly agreed to bring about world disarmament. They have failed to do so, and now Germany is insisting on one of two things, either that the Allies proceed to disarm or that Germany be permitted to re-arm. The German demand is a reasonable one. The Allies cannot expect to hold a great, proud and powerful people in the position which the German people are forced to occupy at the present time.

What is to be the outcome? Will the Allies at last make a real, a determined, an honest attempt to disarm? If they do not, they will either have to agree to the re-arming of Germany, or that country will proceed to re-arm without their consent, and who will, or can, stop her?

But did the World War end war? As a matter of fact, it is not the war still in progress, but in another form which is bringing ruin upon all nations and imposing huge and incalculable losses and intense suffering upon millions of people? The weapons now employed are not bullets and bombs and bayonets, but extreme nationalist policies of many kinds—restrictive trade measures, prohibitive tariffs, trade quotas, immigration quotas, with each nation striving to promote its own interests by working some harm to other nations. Where do we find two nations working in cordial co-operation to advance, not only their own welfare but the welfare of each other, and the world at large? Rather, are not the nations engaged in waging war upon each other actuated solely by the motive of the survival of the fittest?

Narrow nationalism kept alive by, and in turn keeping alive, racial and religious suspicions, passions and bitterness, rules today, with every nation excluding its own selfishness, its own narrowness and bigotry, on the ground that other nations started it, are worse than they are, and that they are merely providing needed self-protection for themselves.

So we find Russia, while teaching its farmers and workers how to build and use tractors, at the same time instructing them in the mechanism and operation of tanks for use in war. We find democracy overthrown in Italy and a war-like dictatorship set up. Fearing each other the countries of Europe adopt policies the result of which is ruin to the agriculturists of Canada, the United States and France grab all the gold in the world and store it away in vaults indifferent to the fact that thereby they bring financial chaos upon the world. Each nation is out to kill the trade of all other nations, and they have succeeded to the extent that tens of millions of men and women are thrown out of work.

It is a disheartening picture, and no one nation seems to have the courage to face it, grapple with it, make a break in the vicious circle, and attempt to cut the cords which are throttling and strangling mankind. Instead, the old, threadbare excuse is given and acted upon,—the other fellow is doing it, he is to blame, and I must follow suit or be submerged.

If this attitude is maintained much longer complete world collapse is inevitable. Conditions resulting are nothing but a hotbed in which anarchy thrives and grows apace. All the enemies of law and order, all the fanatics with pet but unsound theories of their own, are preying upon the public in all countries, promising to create utopias if the people will only arise en masse and destroy everything now existing and which has been built up out of the labor, the experience, the sufferings of the generations of the past.

It is the whole system that is wrong, so these agitators declaim, but nothing is quite so wrong as such statements. It is not the system that is wrong, although like all systems it must constantly change and improve in an ever-changing world to meet conditions as they, too, change. No, the fault lies in the hearts and minds of people themselves. They still maintain their old suspicions and dislikes of each other; they hate any race and language but their own; they scorn any religion but their own; each nation suffers either from fear or a superiority complex because one or the other is the predominating trait of character of the individual men and women who make up the nation. It is the individual view which finds expression in purblind national policies.

Many of the politicians and statesmen of the world, the men chosen to direct national and international policies, realize the situation and left to themselves would be able to accomplish much to remedy it and remove the danger which is imminent, but their people will not support them; the masses would sweep them aside and put others in their place to continue to insist upon policies of extreme narrow nationalism. It is their own suffering they are thus determined to maintain, and their ultimate undoing which they will bring about, unthinkingly, heedlessly, and from purely selfish motives.

## New Source Of Revenue

Enterprising saleswomen of London, England, combined pleasure with business this year by loading their cars with dresses and lingerie, which they sold to people in the rural districts during vacation trips. Two little girls who started on a tour through Yorkshire sold out their stock within a week.

## Easy To Figure Out.

"I suppose, like many other husbands you can't say what your wife pays for her hats and dresses." "Oh, yes, I can—too much." "But joking aside, have you ever stopped to figure out how much your wife's clothes cost you?" "It isn't necessary, I simply add my income to what I owe."

## All Her Children Were Troubled With Diarrhoea

Mr. J. J. Bickett, R.R. 1, Enderby, B.C., writes:—"Last Summer all my children were troubled with diarrhoea, and were so bad I did not know what to do. A friend told me to give them Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; so I got a bottle, and after a couple of doses you should have seen the change. The children were soon well again, and I am very thankful to your wonderful remedy. I find it the only one that relieves so easily and quickly."



## British Scientists Make Remarkable Discovery

## Find Caterpillars Cause Of River Waters Turning Black

A remarkable discovery was made by British scientists in the Eden-bridge and Oxted district of Kent and Surrey recently. Quite unaccountably, the waterways in this area were rapidly being turned black, and it was alleged that pollution from sewage farms was the cause.

As a result, the department of botany of the British Museum was invited to probe the mystery. Samples of water were taken from the streams at various points and analyzed, when the sewage farms were exonerated, as the same ingredients were present both above and below the outfalls.

It was then noticed that paths and roadways alongside the streams, and overlying by oak trees, were thickly covered with a sooty material consisting of partially digested leaves which had been devoured by millions of caterpillars of the green oak moth.

By a very odd coincidence, this substance, washed down by natural drainage, had combined chemically with certain salts in the stream water, and the result was the manufacture of a natural ink.

This insect is quite capable of destroying an oak forest, but fortunately there is a natural check in the shape of a beardless fly known as the emps, or little hawk fly, which preys on the adult moths and is thus of immense value in saving thousands of pounds worth of native timber.—Tit-Bits.

## World's Grain Show

## British Empire Farmers' Co-Operative To Show At Regina

The Empire Farmers' Co-Operative, Limited, will be represented both by exhibit space and by delegates to the world's grain exhibition and conference opening at Regina in July next year, according to a cablegram received at headquarters' office of the exhibition and conference.

The Right Hon. Lord Strathclyde, chairman, who with two of the directors will attend as delegates, expressed the opinion that an excellent opportunity is thus provided to meet, to confer with and to present the needs and advantages of the Empire Farmers' Co-Operative to farmers of all parts of the Empire. Exhibit space in the new grain show building has been booked for the organization.

This will be used for the presentation of such matters as may be of interest to farmers and for convenient distribution of literature.

## Technical Education

## Explains Delay In Giving Effect To The Vocational Act

"Some delay has occurred in bringing the Vocational and Technical Education Act into effect by reason of the fact that the necessary regulations governing the act are still under consideration by the government," reads the communication explaining the status of this legislation from Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Labor, tabled in the House of Commons. The letter was dated last March, and was in answer to protests from the Alberta School Trustees' Association against the delay in giving effect to this 1931 legislation.

## Cost Of Direct Relief

## Per Capita, Cost In Regina Is Given As \$7.90

The per capita cost of direct relief in Regina during the period from May, 1931, to April, 1932, for food, clothing and shelter, was \$7.90, according to information given recently by Hon. J. A. Merkle, Minister of Labor.

This figure which represents an expenditure of \$420,566.83, does not include administration costs, drugs, medical attention or railway fares.

An Oil For All Men—The sailor, the soldier, the fisherman, the lumberman, the out-door laborer and all who are exposed to injury and the elements will find in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil a true and faithful friend. To ease pain, relieve colds, dress wounds, subdue lumbago and overcome rheumatism, it is excellent. Therefore, it should have a place in all home medicine cabinets and be amongst those taken on a journey.

When the Chinese New Year comes around, the Chinese make a point of paying their debts. Do they need further civilization?

At 492 degrees below zero some of the metals, such as silver and copper, lose their resistance to electricity and become super-conductors.

Boxing matches and motion pictures are now the preferred types of amusement in Paris.

## All Children Benefit

From the body building and health promoting

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

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## Barley In Export Trade

## Production Now Amounts To Nearly 150,000,000 Bushels A Year

The production of barley in Canada is rapidly increasing and now amounts to nearly 150,000,000 bushels a year. The principal uses for barley in the export market are: Feed for Livestock; Pot and Pearl Barley; Bolled Barley; Barley Flour and Barley Meal; Breakfast Foods; Malt Food Products; Malt Coffee and Barley Coffee; Malt Flour; Malt Extract; Fermented Alcoholic and Non-Alcoholic Beverages; Distilled Alcoholic Beverages and Solvents; Industrial Alcohol; Malted Stock Food; and Yeast.

A special study of the particular needs of that section of the market which the producer seeks to serve, is essential to the satisfactory development of the export trade.—Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

## Street Named After Canadian Captain

## One Of Churchill's Thoroughfares Will Be Called Bernier

One of the streets of the new town-site to be opened at Churchill next spring has been named after a living Canadian, Captain J. E. Bernier of Lewis, Que. He is the only Canadian now alive to be given this recognition in the building of Canada's new northern port on Hudson Bay. All the other streets have been named after explorers and navigators of the north lands long since departed.

Worms by the irritation that they cause in the stomach and intestines, deprive infants of the nourishment that they should derive from food, and mal-nutrition is the result. Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms and correct the morbid conditions in the stomach and bowels that are favorable to worms, so that the full nutriment of the child is assured and development in every way encouraged.

## Trinkets Belonging To Edgar Wallace Sold

## Several Things In Collection Bought By Late Author's Wife

A collection of jewelry which belonged to the late Edgar Wallace, novelist, brought in a total of \$1,250 in London. The sale was "by order of the receiver, Edgar Wallace administration." Mrs. Edgar Wallace bought several of the items for members of the family. An engraved gold cigarette case weighing about seven ounces brought \$175. A suite of each-olung and diamond square sleeve links and two studs sold for \$400 and a platinum watch for \$105.

Worms cause fretfulness and rob the infant of sleep, the great nourisher. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

## Hunting Lost Fortunes

## Hundreds Of Montana People Searching Musty Old Files

Men and women who went west during the gold rush days of '49 now have descendants who search old newspaper files in the public library at St. Louis, seeking some trace of the fortunes they made.

Hundreds of persons spend many hours reading through musty files of old newspapers in zealous search for "lost fortunes," library attendants report. None has yet found his "pot of gold."

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is unrivalled for speedy relief in muscular rheumatism, neuralgia, inflammation, burns and felons.

Here's to the man who plans things—Builder things—makes things; Who practices not of words of old Nor gleats over ancestral gold, But takes off his coat and takes hold And does things?

A college degree may pay, but in these days it doesn't pay much.

W. N. U. 1966

## Life Is Dedicated To War Memorial

## Book Of Remembrance To Be Illuminated By Montreal Man

A five-year task of illuminating the Book of Remembrance which will contain the names of the 68,000 Canadian men and women who died overseas from August 1914 until the disbandment of the Canadian Expeditionary Force in 1922 is the life-work of William Purves, who exhibited a rough sample of the proposed Book in the McGill University Library here. The completed work will be placed in a specially-built vault in the Peace Memorial Tower in the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa.

"The work I am now engaged on is my life-work," said Mr. Purves when interviewed. "If I live the next five years to finish the job I shall feel that my life has been spent in vain."

The Book of Remembrance containing 450 leaves of the finest calf-skin vellum will be bound in purple Morocco leather, mounted on solid gold and engraved with the Canadian Coat of Arms. The 68,000 names will be inscribed by hand on the parchment the work of several men, but 15 pages will be fully illuminated by Mr. Purves.

He intends to tell pictorially, year by year, the story of the war; for instance, the theme for 1914 will be the carrying of troops by the navy, for 1915, the pouring in of men from every province to aid their country, and so on. Mr. Purves also plans to work into his illuminated pages many authentic scenes showing the pleasures and pastimes of the men overseas.—Montreal Correspondent Canadian Press.

Asthma Victims. The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

## Unemployment Measures

## Relief Figures For Five Cities Tabled In House

A total of \$2,996,140 was disbursed to the cities of Vancouver, Calgary, Regina, Toronto and Quebec from last March to date under the government's unemployment, and farm relief plan, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons. This sum was distributed in part in direct relief and in public works.

The totals for the various cities follow:

Vancouver	\$ 772,484.13
Calgary	630,600.84
Regina	334,044.76
Toronto	1,008,713.44
Quebec	252,297.35

## Must Study Japanese

The study of the Japanese language is made compulsory under new regulations announced for all primary schools in Fengtien province, of which Mukden is the capital. Similar regulations are being enforced throughout Manchukuo.

Cambridge, England, is to have a new \$2,500,000 library building.

fit men win  
Nothing lowers  
and depresses  
you more than  
the poisons of  
unsuppressed  
constipation. Take  
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## Discovery Will Aid Radium Production

## Formula For Treatment Of Ore Developed At Ottawa

It is anticipated that as a result of the development of a formula for the treatment of Canadian pitchblende ores, production of radium in its commercial forms can be carried out on a larger scale in Canada, with simpler processes and lower costs than anywhere else in the world.

Referring to the possibilities of the formula which was developed in the mines branch, Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Mines, said:

"Fortunately for the new field, and fortunately for humanity, the Canadian process will permit as great, if not greater, percentage of recovery, involving a shorter time and less complicated operations than any of the known methods. I have every confidence that Canada not only will be able to supply our own needs for therapeutic, scientific and commercial purposes, but we will be able to enter the world markets in competition with any existing monopoly."

## Valveless Motor Device For Boats

## Vast Alterations In Engine Production Seen By Inventor

Invention of a valveless four-cylinder motor for boats is claimed at Indianapolis, by John Irvine, who says he worked eighteen years on the project. Irvine believes the invention may result in vast alterations in engine production.

Valveless motors of two cylinders are in use, according to Irvine, but four-cylinder engines failed because of sticking of cylinders. Irvine said he had overcome this difficulty and found his invention to be a success in several tests.

The motor is water-cooled and is capable of driving a small craft 40 miles an hour, according to its inventor.

Irvine said he believed that with a few additional improvements his motor could be adapted to aeroplanes and automobiles.

Smith—It must be nice to own a car.

Miller—I know it should be, but I've never enjoyed it. Either the car is being repaired, or else I am.

Three presidents of the United States—Martin Van Buren, Millard Fillmore and Theodore Roosevelt—were born in New York state.

# EVEREADY



## "LOWER PRICES LONGER LIFE!"

Good news for owners of battery powered sets! Eveready Layerbilt "B" batteries are now selling for 25 to 30% less than last year's prices.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL CARBON COMPANY LIMITED  
Calgary Vancouver Toronto Montreal Winnipeg  
Owning and operating Radio Station CMC, Toronto

# RADIO BATTERIES



## MAKE CHANGES IN OPERATION OF RAILWAYS

Ottawa, Ont.—The "Canadian National-Canadian Pacific Act of 1932," containing legislation designed to bring about far-reaching changes in the operation and conduct of the Dominion's transportation systems, was introduced in the senate recently by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government leader.

Following the recommendations contained in the report of the royal commission on railways and transportation, of which Mr. Justice Lyman P. Duff, of the Supreme Court of Canada, was chairman, the act is divided into three parts.

Part one deals with reorganization of the Canadian National system. It provides for replacement of the board of directors by three trustees, one of which, the chairman, will devote his full time to the work, and whose tenure of office will be seven years. The salaries are not fixed in the act.

The trustees will have full power to control the Canadian National without consultation with the shareholders or with the government, and will appoint managing officers, including a president, who will be responsible only to the trustees.

Part two deals with co-operation between the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific and orders that the two systems take whatever steps desirable to eliminate, consistently with the proper handling of traffic, unnecessary, wasteful or uneconomical services, and to make joint use of facilities wherever advisable. No authority for any amalgamation of companies is given.

Part three sets up a tribunal to deal with the disagreements between the two systems. This body will be composed of the chief commissioners of the board of railway commissioners for Canada, who will be presiding officer, and one representative each from the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific.

In disputes of major importance either company may ask the president of the Exchequer Court of Canada to appoint two additional members to the tribunal. In the event of any conflict between an order of the board of railway commissioners and the tribunal, the order or decision of the tribunal shall prevail. Appeal from its judgment will be to the Supreme Court of Canada.

## Earl Of Bessborough Celebrates Birthday

Canada's Governor-General Passes Fifty-Second Milestone

Ottawa, Ont.—Born on October 27, 1880, the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, has celebrated his 52nd birthday. Birthday felicitations were extended to his excellency from all parts of the Dominion, and from many distant lands in which he is widely known.

The Earl of Bessborough is the ninth holder of a title which dates back almost 200 years to 1739, when the first Earl of Bessborough was created. He succeeded to the title on the death of his father in 1920.

**Montreal Bandits Make Haul**  
Montreal, Que.—A swiftly executed hold-up secured for three unmasked men the sum of \$12,000 in cash, and bonds valued at \$1,500, when they swooped down on a branch of La Banque Canadienne Nationale, on Cherrier Street, locked the manager and five employees in the vault, scooped up the money and escaped.

**Says Capitalist System Fails**  
Toronto, Ont.—The capitalist system has fallen and changes must be made to meet conditions—but the changes must be made in an orderly fashion, without violence or haste. This is the conclusion of Sir Norman Angell, M.P., famous student of international politics and former journalist.

**No Offer Made**  
Ottawa, Ont.—The area known as "Garibaldi Park," in British Columbia, has not been offered to the Canadian Government on any terms; the House of Commons was advised in reply to a question asked by A. E. Munn, (Cons., Vancouver North). The question was answered by Sir George Perley, Minister without portfolio.

Air services between Haiti and Kingston, Jamaica, have just been inaugurated.

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## Canada Assured Of Large Lumber Market

But Full Advantage Cannot Be Taken For Some Time

Ottawa, Ont.—Assured of a large potential market for lumber in the United Kingdom under the new trade treaty with that country, Canada will not be able to take full advantage of it for from three to five years.

This statement was given the House of Commons by one of the leading operators of northern Ontario and the chairman of the committee which represented the Canadian lumber industry at the imperial economic conference, George B. Nicholson (Cons., Algoma East).

It was one of two conflicting views on the effect of the treaty on the lumber industry given the House in the course of the debate on ratification of the treaty.

A. W. Neill, (Ind., Comox-Alberni), said the lumber preference would be of no value to Canada because Scandinavian countries, operating on depreciated currencies, could still undersell Canada.

Mr. Nicholson said the potential market for Canadian lumber obtained would amount to more than 1,000,000 board feet. The British market at the moment, was saturated with lumber from Russia and central Europe and Canadian lumber had not sufficient stock on hand to satisfy the British market.

## Oil Company Withdraws

Montreal Firm Decides To Drop Russian Barter Scheme

Montreal, Que.—One party to the three-cornered aluminum products deal has decided to withdraw from the transaction. Joseph Elie, a director of LaSalle Petroleum Refinery Company, has announced his company will not accept further shipments of oil.

"There seems to have been some dissatisfaction about the whole deal," Elie said. "He did not, he said, wish to be bothered with any more of the business."

Ottawa, Ont.—Complaints in connection with the quality of the Soviet oil imported recently into Canada are being investigated, the Prime Minister told Hon. Ian Mackenzie (Lib., Vancouver Centre), in the House of Commons.

## Lose Trade Advantage

Irish Free State Will Not Receive Benefit Of Preference After November 15

London, England.—The Irish Free State will lose the advantage of imperial tariff preferences in the United Kingdom on November 15, J. H. Thomas, Dominions Secretary, told House of Commons.

On that date, he explained, preferences granted goods from the Dominions under last year's tariff act will expire, and as the Free State failed to conclude any trade agreement with the United Kingdom at the Ottawa economic conference its exports to Great Britain will be accorded tariff treatment similar to that affecting goods from foreign countries.

## Indian Terrorists

Disease-Infected Needles Said To Be Used On European Girls

London, England.—The Exchange Telegraph Agency's Calcutta correspondent reported that political terrorists in India are using disease-infected needles in attacking European and Anglo-Indian office girls en route between their offices and homes.

Thirteen cases of such attacks already have been reported, the correspondent said.

## To Discuss Tariffs

Ottawa, Ont.—Liberal members and senators met in caucus to set up committees to study individual tariff schedules affected by the Canada-United Kingdom Trade Treaty. The tariff schedules will be reviewed individually by the House of Commons after the treaty as a whole has been ratified.

**Thought It Was a Gas Station**  
Galt, Ont.—A joke is a joke, but when motorists add injury—that's different. William Mubhall, Detroit, for instance, sped through the village of Birt at 62 miles per hour. When he appeared in court he declared he thought the village was a gas station. He was fined \$5 and costs.

**Depression Hits Shippers**  
London, England.—The annual report of Lloyds register on shipping revealed that the economic depression has laid up 15,000,000 tons or the equivalent of 20 per cent. of the world's total shipping.

## Russian Plan Is Ahead Of Last Year

But Increase Planned For 1932 Not Half Reached

Moscow, Russia.—With the end of the first five-year plan only a little more than two months off, official figures published showed that Russia's industry as a whole accomplished less than half the increase planned for 1932, but still is running considerably ahead of last year.

The country's entire industrial production for the first eight months of this year, including heavy and light industries, timber and food industries, reached a combined average of 14.9 per cent. above the same period of 1931, as compared with a scheduled increase of 36 per cent. for the whole year of 1932.

## Preparatory Conference

Conference To Negotiate Russo-Jap Treaty Is Called

Tokio, Japan.—A preparatory conference to negotiate a non-aggression treaty between the Soviet Russian and Japanese Governments will be held here, the News Service Nippon Dempo said.

Count Yasuo Uchida, Japanese foreign minister, conferred with Premier Makoto Saito and Sadao Araki, war minister, regarding the treaty. After hearing Ambassador Koki Hirota's report on the Russian attitude, Uchida ordered his office to start preparations for the treaty.

## WORK TO BE PROVIDED FOR THE UNEMPLOYED

Ottawa, Ont.—Public undertakings such as sewers and waterworks, to an amount running between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000 will be completed in various municipalities throughout Canada up to the end of December, as a measure of unemployment relief.

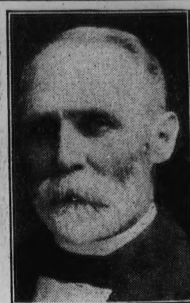
Road construction will be carried out in Nova Scotia, Ontario, Manitoba and Alberta. Relief camps will be operated in the prairie provinces. Additional families will be placed on farms in eight of the nine provinces.

In the west the plan of boarding men on farms, with the farmer receiving \$5 per month and the boarder a similar sum, of which the Dominion Government will pay 50 per cent. will be continued. Work will be undertaken in the national parks and by the department of national defence in the establishing of emergency landing fields.

The amount of money granted by order-in-council to the Minister of the Interior for the work which is to be carried out this winter in the national parks of Canada is \$200,000, according to the terms of the order-in-council tabled in the House of Commons. The money takes care of homeless single men.

"I am confident no one in this country need worry about being provided with food, clothing and shelter this winter," Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Labor, informed Hon. Ian Mackenzie (Lib., Vancouver Centre), in the House of Commons.

## ARCHBISHOP WORRELL



In order that the work of the Anglican Church in the Prince Rupert Ecclesiastical Province may survive the calamity brought about by misappropriation of funds by ex-Chancellor Machray, Archbishop Worrell, Primate of the Church, has intimated the opening of a fund to which the general body of bishops and clergy and members of the Missionary Society will be asked to contribute.

## Noted Economist Resigns

Sir Walter Layton Leaves Committee Of World Conference

London, England.—Sir Walter Layton, noted economist, announced his resignation from the preparatory committee of the world economic conference because of a "serious difference of opinion" between himself and the British Government.

He said he had differed with Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, on "what further action is required in order to restore reasonable freedom to the movement of international trade."

Sir Walter does not think the government view that the desired result can be obtained through individual negotiations with foreign countries within limits set by the Ottawa agreements and subject to strict insistence on most favored nation rights will be successful.

## Scottish Parliament

No Benefit To Be Gained By Asking For Home Rule

London, England.—Scottish Conservative members of the House of Commons decided not to support any move for home rule in the northern half of the United Kingdom.

At a meeting held under the chairmanship of Sir Robert Horne, a former Chancellor of the Exchequer, they reached the conclusion no benefit could be obtained by setting up a Scottish parliament.

## Tea Consumption In Canada

Montreal, Que.—Canadians drink four pounds of tea per capita annually, two-fifths as much as Englishmen and half as much as Australians and New Zealanders and about five times as much as people in the United States, according to T. Reid, of the Ceylon Association, who is returning to England after making a survey of the Canadian market for tea.

## Short Rail Haul

H.B. Route Offers Decided Advantages For Shipping Cattle To Britain

Saskatoon, Sask.—The short rail haul from the prairies to Churchill make the Hudson Bay route most advantageous for the shipping of cattle to the British market, was the opinion expressed by Professor A. M. Shaw, dean of agriculture, at the quarterly meeting of the Saskatchewan Board of Trade. "The navigation season opens too late to permit of large movement of grain fed cattle," he said, "but affords ready and profitable outlet for grass fed prairie beef."

Dean Shaw was of the opinion that cross-bred cattle, developed through experiments carried out by the University of Saskatchewan, made it possible for Canadian packers to compete with Argentine in the chilled meat market in Great Britain.

## Federal Aid Requested

Regina Thinks Government Should Share Expenses For Airport

Regina, Sask.—Dominion assistance in bearing part of the carrying charges on the Regina municipal airport will be sought by City Commissioner R. J. Westgate, who has gone east.

Mr. Westgate will be absent from the city for about 10 days. During that time he will attend a meeting of the Anglican Church in Toronto and will visit Ottawa on civic business.

It has been the claim of the city that the airport was developed to its present state because of the air mail service. Since this service has been discontinued, the port is no longer revenue producing and the contention is that of the fixed charges the Dominion Government should assume part.

## Provinces Will Be Aided

Federal Government Promises Help If Needed For Relief

Ottawa, Ont.—The government is not in a position to make any exact pronouncement or policy respecting unemployment relief, but if any responsible provincial government officials report their inability to care for the needy within their jurisdiction the government will take "adequate action." Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Labor, told the House of Commons.

## FAIRNESS TO ALL IN PENITENTIARY INVESTIGATION

Ottawa, Ont.—Local radicals planned a demonstration on parliament hill in connection with the visit of 15 relatives and friends of the Communists confined in Portsmouth penitentiary, according to notices posted here.

A sweeping investigation was under way at Portsmouth penitentiary with fairness being meted out to all, and so far there had been no development indicating the necessity of a public inquiry, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, said to 15 members of the Canadian Defence League who waited upon him. The party was refused admission.

"If a situation develops," the Minister told the delegation, "that calls for a general or open inquiry, I will be prepared to consider it. At the present time I see no reason for such an inquiry."

With a suggestion of Edward Smith, Toronto, that the riots at the institution "were strikes, the same as the strikes of any industrial workers," the Minister of Justice disagreed, holding them more in the light of revolts.

The eight incarcerated Toronto Communists were styled "political prisoners" by the delegation, who were entitled to special treatment. "We have no political prisoners in Canada," the Minister of Justice declared. "Anyone can hold any political ideas he may like so long as he stays within the law. We have no political prisoners."

No discrimination whatever would take place at the institution in regard to the eight Communists, Mr. Guthrie stated. "No favors or no discriminations will be shown to any prisoner during the inquiry."

"These statements are being taken down by a competent stenographer, and will be forwarded to me from day to day," the Minister declared. No copies had reached him yet.

When conditions became normal, the Minister said he personally would see that the visits of relatives to the prisoners would be resumed.

## MANY INJURED IN BOISTEROUS RIOTS IN LONDON

London, England.—Two thousand hunger marchers, converging on London from all parts of the island, reached their goal in Hyde Park, traditional home of free speech, and precipitated the most boisterous riot London has seen in years. A score were hurt, nine requiring hospital treatment.

Singing revolutionary songs, the jobless demonstrators swung through London traffic behind the banner of the Communist hammer and sickle. Up to the Marble Arch which leads into the park from Great Cumberland Place they marched through lanes of mounted police.

A squadron of police moved their horses to press back the crowd. Somebody threw a brick through a post office window. It was the signal for battle. Men and women in the mob screamed defiance at the police. The mounted men charged and the mob fell back, only to form again. Bricks and stones whizzed past the policemen's heads. Dozens of windows were broken. The rioters pulled branches from the trees in the park and tore up the park railings as weapons.

When the shouting and the tumult of the riot was at its height mobs formed inside the park and threatened the police from the rear. For a time it looked as though things might get out of hand. The police, however, had made elaborate preparations for just such an event and they were ready. But it took an hour to subdue the rioters.

At the beginning of the trouble the crowd inside the park, around 50,000, had been entirely peaceable. Two dozen or more soap boxes had been set up and from these the orators ranted against the conditions of the jobless. Most of their condemnation was directed against the "means tests."

The demonstration was the climax of a nation-wide gathering of unemployed and the goal was the famous park in the city's heart where the 2,000 marchers, augmented by many thousands of London's unemployed, planned to protest the "means test." Approximately 5,000 police mounted and on foot, were stationed to guard duty for the occasion, demonstrating the fact that never before had Scotland Yard taken such elaborate precautions to deal with a demonstration by the workless.

Police van motors, wireless equipped, and motorcycle squads kept headquarters in touch with the dozen or more contingents of marchers, as if the whole business were a battle manoeuvre.

A drizzle and chill wind, to which the marchers have long since become accustomed, failed to dampen the ardor of the various columns as they moved in from the rim of London with red flags flying.

## British Preference

Ruling Made Regarding Canadian Shipments To Britain Via U.S.

Ottawa, Ont.—Canadian goods being shipped to the United Kingdom will receive the British preference if consigned directly from Canada to Great Britain, whether they pass through the United States or not.

Canadian goods consigned to the United States and then reconsigned to the United Kingdom will not receive the preference. Premier R. B. Bennett made this explanation of the British tariff regulations in the House of Commons.

British custom commissioners have to have proof that the transit has been uninterrupted before the preference is granted.

## Lindbergh's Son Named

New York.—The World-Telegram says that the second son of Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh has been named Jon Morrow Lindbergh. The Jon was chosen for a Scandinavian first name of Col. Lindbergh's. Morrow is Mrs. Lindbergh's maiden name.

## Cyclone Hits New Zealand

Auckland, N.Z.—A cyclone left a trail of destruction many miles long and about 300 miles wide in the Waikato district. Buildings were razed, roofs torn off, trees uprooted and general havoc wrought. There were no deaths or serious injuries.

## Big Terminal Elevator

Victoria, B.C.—At the rate grain is pouring into the Ogden Elevator of Wharfedale Wheat Pool, the 1,000,000-bushel capacity will soon be filled. There is a total of approximately 250,000 bushels of grain in the elevator at the present time.

## BRITISH JOBLESS CONVERGE ON LONDON



It is understood from the British Home Office that communist organizations are responsible for the attempt of an army of unemployed men to disrupt the Parliamentary session which is at present in progress. Above is a good photo of the Mother Parliament, while inset is Premier MacDonald, who is endeavouring to overcome what might be a serious disturbance.



## Vancouver Grain Shipments

Bringing Back Commerce That Has Been Going To U.S.

Vancouver is winning her grain triumphs, not at the expense of other Canadian ports but in bringing back to "all-red" channels commerce that had been allowed to go to the United States.

As much as 67 per cent. of the Canadian wheat crop was once handled by United States, it is pointed out by Robert McKee, president of the Vancouver Merchants exchange, in his presidential survey of foreign trade distributed to members.

But last year only 19 per cent. of Canada's wheat harvest, "as Vancouver's exports increased," went through the United States.

"The growth of the western route has not been at the expense of eastern Canada ports, their percentage of the wheat movement having remained fairly constant during the past ten years at about 33 per cent. and during the crop year just closed they handled an even higher percentage, 37 per cent.," said Mr. McKee.

"The grain being shipped through Vancouver has been diverted from United States Atlantic coast ports."

Of wheat alone in the crop year ended July 31, 1932, Vancouver handled 44 per cent. or 760,000 bushels of Canada's exports. Eastern Canada ports handled 37 per cent. or 640,000, and the United States 33,000,000 or 19 per cent., compared with 67 per cent. in 1921.

The outlook for the present year Mr. McKee considers very favorable, with a good possibility of increased volume of shipments owing to the big crop in Alberta, whence comes most of the flow to the Pacific coast.

The prospects of continued improvement in the flour trade with China, where Canada has built a large business in the past ten years, are not so satisfactory in Mr. McKee's view. He points to these three main adverse factors:

(1) Severe competition by Australia, whose exchange position is more favorable.

(2) Large quantities of flour sold to China by the United States farm board on credit for relief purposes, but which have largely gone on the open market.

(3) The fact that the percentage of low-grade wheat in the Canadian crop in the past two years (China hitherto has purchased only a low-grade of flour).

However, says Mr. McKee, Canadian wheat is today cheaper in terms of silver than it was last season.

In the first six months of 1932 flour exports to China have amounted to \$21,241 barrels. In the whole of 1931 they were 1,058,325, compared with the record year of 1929, when they were 2,809,494.

## On the Shores Of Galilee

Historic Stone On Which Christ Stood Believed To Have Been Unearthed

The boulder upon which Christ stood on the shores of the Sea of Galilee to perform the miracle of the loaves and fishes is believed to have been discovered at Tabgha, near Tiberias, Palestine. The stone was found in the centre of a fourth-century church recently uncovered, and is presumed to have been beneath the altar.

The church was one of the many built during the reign of Constantine the Great. Behind the stone was found a mosaic panel, depicting in vivid black, red and yellow, a basket, several loaves and two fishes.

In the western half of the church a mosaic floor was uncovered, and is about 15 feet long and 21 feet across. It contains a design of storks and other birds, and is said to be the best-preserved mosaic floor ever found in the Holy Land. Although buried beneath dust and rubble for about 1,600 years, the mosaic shows no signs of erosion.

## Man With Two Hearts

Edward Reynolds, 32, of Pittsburgh, possesses two hearts. The discovery came through a swimming accident when Reynolds was 20 years old. A doctor, setting a broken arm, was surprised to find his heart on the right side. Later an X-ray showed he had another heart, although much smaller, on the left side.

A dentist advertises that he will accept his pay in chickens. This is called reciprocity; you fill my cavity and I'll fill yours.

The coldest town on the British Isles is Brammar, which has an average yearly temperature of 11.3 degrees above zero.

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## Planning Further Use For London Mansion

St Dunstan's May Become International Hostel For Children

St. Dunstan's, the famous London mansion which has been empty for four years since it ceased to be the headquarters of the movement for training war-blinded soldiers, may be converted into an international hostel for children. If the scheme matures children from all over the United Kingdom, the empire and Europe will gather at the mansion for a stay of a week or two to study and visit places and things of interest in London, and Regent's Park may become the greatest "children's park" in Europe.

The School Journey Association, a voluntary body of 4,000 teachers, whose vice-president is Lord Burnham, and who arrange in their spare time educational holidays for more than 50,000 school children a year, is sponsoring the equipment of the mansion. A thin of the sum required to convert the building into a hostel has already been subscribed, mostly by the teachers of the United Kingdom themselves, and as soon as the necessary fund can be completed the work will be begun.

An official says it is intended to accommodate 120 children a night, and to have as a feature a good travel library of guide books, maps and charts. The office of work is doing its best to forward the scheme and the treasury has fixed a purely nominal rent of \$300 for the mansion.

St. Dunstan's was built by permission of Queen Victoria on crown property in Regent's Park. It was at first known as St. John's Lodge, and was a home of Lord Bute. It was converted into a military hospital in 1914, and at the close of the war became the headquarters of Arthur Pearson's organization for training blinded soldiers.

## Marler Says Canada Experienced Nation

Youth Over-Emphasized Declares Canadian Minister To Japan

"Canada is often spoken of as a young country; in my opinion our youth is over-emphasized," Hon. H. M. Marler, Canadian Minister to Japan, said at Vancouver in an address at the University of British Columbia. He is the first Canadian minister to see where the honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred on him.

"We are not really a young country, nor are we wanting in experience," he said. "Have we not out of our diverse elements solved the problems of self-government? Have we not welded together an Empire stretching from Atlantic to Pacific? Have we not achieved fifth place among the trading nations of the world?"

"Few nations that are called 'old' are able to say as much. If we ponder over this we should realize we are not young, but an experienced nation, quite capable of conducting our own affairs in foreign lands."

Mr. Marler made these remarks in an appeal to Canadians to be awake to their opportunities for foreign trade and its necessity to the life of the nation.

## A Good Bird Story

Large Flock Caught In Tar Spread On Roadway

One day last summer, while a gang of workmen were laying a pavement near Tiffin, Ohio, they spread a section of the road with liberal quantities of tar as an adhesive.

While the crew was working at another point, a large flock of migrating birds swooped down, settled on the fresh roadway and got stuck in the tar, making the road look like a gigantic strip of flypaper. The local State game warden was called, and aided by the workmen, he succeeded in extricating approximately 500 birds. Many had accumulated so much tar in their struggles that they were unable to fly, even after being liberated.

## One Peculiarity

History was the subject of the morning lesson in the boys' school.

"Tommy White," said teacher, "tell the class what you know of the peculiarities of the Quakers."

The boy got fatteringly to his feet, but not a word came from his lips.

"How does their way of speaking differ from yours and mine?" the teacher put in coaxingly.

"Well, sir," said Tommy, "they don't swear."

The world's population in 1927 was estimated at 1,960,000,000 by the League of Nations.

War gas marks are being sold in Koenigsberg, Germany, at 25 cents each.

## GREETING A "FORGOTTEN MAN"



Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt is shown as he talked with a mine worker as he passed through West Virginia coal district en route to Wheeling, where he delivered a campaign speech. The Democratic candidate discussed the labor situation with the miner, who answered in broken English that he worked six days for six dollars.

## Punishment Was Just

Woman Fined For Mailing Letter Bearing Previously Used Stamp

That ironic form of punishment known as poetic justice was so completely visited upon a British woman of late that all the world should hear about it. The woman, described by the London Morning Post as well-to-do, handed into a post office a letter bearing a three-halfpenny stamp which had been previously used. For doing this she was brought before the magistrates fined \$25 and ordered to pay costs to the amount of \$7.75.

Evidence produced before the magistrate was that the letter was to a betting commissioner, placing bets on horses which won and which would have yielded a profit of more than \$22. The letter was not delivered; the bets were not placed; the profit was not made. All for lack of a three-halfpenny stamp.

## Farming Is a Business

And Should Be Organized On a Business Basis

Here is what Dr. C. D. Lathwell, Director of Agricultural Economics, Ottawa, has to say about the farmer in national economy writing in the current issue of the Economic Analyst:

"The modern farmer is an entrepreneur—an owner and organizer of a business in which he and members of his family perform a good deal of the manual work connected with the enterprise. He buys and sells commodities. He employs labour and directs it. He seeks an income which will enable a satisfactory standard of living. It may be well, therefore, for all those interested in agriculture to bear in mind that farming will be a better way of getting a living when it is organized on a business basis.

## Folite Irony

It was a long play, and was being shown at the village hall. The curtain was rung up on the fourth act, disclosing an actor sitting wearily at a table. All was stillness; he had not spoken. At last a member of the audience ventured to express the sentiments of the house.

"I hope we are not keeping you up, sir," he suggested kindly.

Landlady: "So Mr. Newboard has found something fresh to complain about this morning."

Maid: "No, mum, it's the eggs."

## Apple Belt Moves North

Standard Apples Grown Successfully At Beaver Lodge, Alberta

That Canada's apple-growing belt is moving northward is shown by the fact that standard apples have been grown this year at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Beaver Lodge, Alberta, which is 428 miles north of the international boundary between Canada and the United States. Crab apples and small seedlings have been known to ripen further north but not standard apples. A new market for Canadian apples has started this year with the first shipment of more than 750 boxes from British Columbia to South Africa. The fruit left the Western province in a refrigerator car travelling by way of Montreal to Cape Town.—Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

## Bacon Hogs

Possibilities Of Swine Production In Canada Not Fully Explored

Some interesting facts about the production of bacon hogs in Canada are outlined by C. D. Lathwell, Dominion Live Stock Commissioner, on a recent occasion when he asserted that the possibilities of pig production in Canada have never been fully explored. In developing the export market the building up of a consistent volume is equally important with maintaining the right quality. While there are certain climatic limitations to bacon production in Canada, these are more than offset by the range in quality of feeds available.

## Where Dobbin Scores

In meek content he stands Beside the pasture bars. Or grazes on the grass: And now and then he lifts his head, As if in speculation, And gazes on the speeding cars that pass:

Then in a sudden burst of wild elation, He makes a leap, and starts To run in coltish glee. Kicking his heels:

For doesn't he, though old, Still carry all his bones in natural relation!

While over on the old scrap heap All unasssembled lie, in ignominious parts And deep humiliation, Automobiles.

—Magdalene G. Clark.

## Gave Him No Thrill

Aviator Describes Attack On World's Altitude Record As Boring

Men who accomplish great things generally belittle their achievements, or at least refrain from showing any of the excitement that mere bystanders show. Captain Cyril Uwins, is no exception to the rule. The Captain was asked to describe his sensation while flying in the stratosphere more than eight and half miles above the earth at Bristol, England, recently and replied with two words, "insufferably boring." Captain Uwins' feat was his attack on the world's altitude record in a Vickers "Vespa" airplane fitted with a Bristol "Pegasus" engine and, despite the coolness with which Captain Uwins regarded the entire proceeding, the flight was one of the greatest in aeronautical history. It was the more dramatic because the elaborate preparations, occupying many months, had been kept a closely guarded secret. It was only when the officials of the Royal Aero Club were hastily summoned from London to Bristol to observe the flight that the facts became generally known.

Captain Uwins climbed for about two hours in the "Vespa." The whole time he was fed with oxygen and his clothes and even his goggles were electrically heated. At 45,000 feet, the height recorded by the instruments, no man could have lived for a moment without these appliances for the thermometer registered more than 100 degrees of frost and the air was so thin that death from oxygen want would have followed if the artificial supply had failed. Captain Uwins, who was less excited about his achievement than anyone else, stated after he had descended that he would have gone on climbing and believed that the airplane could have gone higher except that the petrol supply was coming to an end. Before this flight, on two or three occasions he had flown at more than 40,000 feet to test the machine and engine.

According to his instruments Captain Uwins exceeded by an adequate margin the world's altitude record; but before official confirmation of a new record is possible the sealed barographs carried on the flight have to be inspected and tested by the National Physical Laboratory and their readings have then to be corrected for atmospheric pressure and density. —St. Thomas Times-Journal.

## "Hope Springs Eternal"

Indispensable To Humanity, But Often It Is The Author Of Tragedy

One of the strangest quips of human nature is the hope which "springs eternal in the human breast." It is the mysterious little thing which sends the soldier into the thick of the fray, confident that he will come out alive and unscathed. It is the ineffable something which permits man to live happily unmindful of inevitable death. It is the optimistic, omnipresent companion of man through the vicissitudes of life. Without it life would be unbearable to the multitudes.

But while hope is indispensable to humanity it not infrequently becomes the author of tragedies. After sowing a full field of happiness hope sometimes harvests a bumper crop of sorrow and misfortune. There is an adage that "man cannot live on hope alone." Those who try it usually suffer only disillusionment or starvation. Hope is responsible for a great deal of human improvidence.

Some of those who overwork hope are the workman who, hopeful of continuous employment and high wages, preserves none of his earnings; the husband and father who, hopeful of dying at an independent old age, fails to give his family and himself the protection of life insurance; the property owner who hopeful of never having a fire, places no fire insurance on his property; and the man who, hopeful of permanent good health, neglects to preserve his health. —St. Catharines Standard.

Candidate—I suppose in this campaign the proper thing for me to do is to stand on my record.

Political Boss—No; to jump on the other fellow's.

Political Speaker—I am exceedingly pleased to see such a dense crowd gathered here tonight.

Voice—Don't be too pleased. We ain't all dense.

"Let me see," said the smart girl, "was it you or your brother who used to be one of my admirers?"

"Probably my father," replied the once-rejected suitor.

Boy: "I want some rope like this." Shopkeeper—"How much?" "Why, enough to reach from the goat to the fence."

## Machine Not Infallible

Inventor Of "Lie Detector" Admits It Sometimes Errs

Dr. John A. Larson, the "only Ph. D. cop in the world," has written a book in which he admits that the lie detector of his invention is fallible. No man should be sent to jail nor should any suspect be released from custody, solely on the evidence of the lie detector, according to Dr. Larson, who is an assistant state criminologist.

The machine, he wrote, is inaccurate in so far as the human interpretations of its records may be faulty. The percentage of error is from 5 to 25 per cent.

Dr. Larson invented the lie detector while serving as a policeman under Chief August Vollmer in Berkeley, California, in 1921. It consists of a cuff which is placed about the upper arm to register blood pressure, and of a tube about the chest to measure respiration.

The blood pressure and respiration of the suspect under questioning are recorded on a cylinder of paper driven by a synchronized motor. The variances at the time the subject answers key questions determine whether he is telling the truth.

Dr. Larson, who has used his device continuously for eleven years in criminal cases, said its greatest value lies in protection of the innocent. The real merit of the machine, in his opinion, is that it "gets at the truth" without "third degree" methods.

In eleven years the criminologist reported finding only seven persons who lied without being detected. These cases were of mental defectives, psychopaths, and drug addicts. Of hundreds of suspects, seven refused to take the test on advice of counsel and later were found guilty.

Dr. Larson wrote:

"The lie detector does not get false confessions because there is no pain and nothing to inspire fear but a guilty conscience. Put a rat in a cell of a nervous woman and she will confess to anything. Hit a weakling in the stomach with a Billy after every question, and the same result will be gained."

Dr. Larson's book, just released by the University of Chicago Press, is entitled "Lying and Its Detection."

## Centre Of Lloyd's Business

Whole Fabric Of Firm Revolves Around The Room

Philip Jordan writing in the Fort nightly Review, says:

"The main business of Lloyd's—which is underwriting insurance risks—is carried on in the Room. Around the room is constructed and revolves the whole fabric of Lloyd's. In practice, as in spirit, the Room is the centre of the building."

Admission to the Room is granted only to those who, in one way or another, subscribe to Lloyd's. No stranger may enter the bronze gates that bar it from the world outside, unless accompanied by one who has the entree. In this respect Lloyd's differs from the London Stock Exchange, into which no stranger may ever penetrate.

Over all the Room hangs the famous Latine bell, itself an institution that is as well known as Lloyd's itself. It is rung when there is news of importance to be communicated to the underwriters who work beneath it, as it hangs on the Rostrom, above the caller's head. It is rung when royalty or other distinguished visitors appear in Lloyd's. When a ship is lost, the bell is tolled."

## Chickens Travel By 'Plane

Seventy Hens Taken By Aeroplane To The Far North

Hens are poor air travellers, W. A. Spencer, aviator from the Great Bear Lake district, stated on arriving in Winnipeg by aeroplane from the north. He carried 70 birds to the Island Lake Catholic Mission some time ago, giving children of that locality their first view of tame chickens. The fowls recovered from severe cases of air sickness, and their eggs are selling for a dollar a dozen.

An early winter was predicted by Mr. Spencer, because cold weather set in two weeks earlier than usual in the north.

"Does the foreman know the trench has fallen in?" asked the master of works.

"Well, sir," replied the navy, "we be digging him out to tell him."

Arab laborers under the supervision of British constables recently moved \$4,500,000 from the Palestine treasury to Barclay's Bank, Jerusalem.

## FANCIFUL FABLES





# British Museum Has Most Amazing Collection Of Old Newspapers Ever Assembled

Can you imagine coming downstairs one morning, getting your newspaper from the verandah and over your grape fruit reading as current news that for the first time in history a locomotive had run on rails drawing 38 coaches at the staggering speed of 12 miles per hour?

The British Museum has just opened a new branch for the storing of its collection of newspapers, the most amazing collection in the world. In this new building is housed a copy of every newspaper—British, Dominion and foreign—published since the year 1800.

The enormous output of literature of every kind has made this new building a necessity. The British Museum endeavours to obtain a copy of every book printed, from multiplication tables and bed-time stories to the he-man Epics of Ethel M. Dell and the novels of Elton Glyn. There was no room for both books and newspapers so the latter have been given a new home.

The new building is located at Colindale, near Hendon, some 10 or 12 miles from the Museum itself. It is of concrete and steel with brick veneer and cost over £300,000. It already contains 275,000 bound volumes of newspapers weighing 20,000 tons. They occupy 14 miles of shelves. There is still room to absorb the world's output of newspapers for the next 50 years.

The reading room is 87 by 30 feet with sitting room and ample desk accommodation for 56 readers. The work of binding is done on the premises by the museum staff.

The building is open to the public. Application has first to be made and a ticket of admission obtained to which, anyone can walk in, fill up a form and in a remarkably short space of time any newspaper required is laid before him.

It is an indescribable experience to read as red-hot news what we all once had to learn laboriously as history. These papers go back to the Battle of Trafalgar and beyond; the escape of Napoleon from Elba, his defeat at Waterloo, the abolition of slavery throughout British and later, American possessions; the deaths of George the Fourth, William of the same regal number, Victoria the Good and Edward VII.; the crossing of the Atlantic by the first steamer, the inventions of a thousand and one miraculous things which are commonplace today; the institution of penny postage, Franklin's ill-starred expedition to the Arctic, the proclamation of a republic in France, wars by the score.

From a historical viewpoint probably these newspapers have little value, history being a matter of perspective, but at least they do portray current thought at the time events which have since become history were actually taking place. What a tragedy they do not go back further still. Think of the thrill of reading, say, the news of the death of Cleopatra—"Queen of Egypt suicides, Famous beauty succumbs to asp bite"—would make telling headlines.

Then the lead, inconceivable in her grief at the death of Anthony, Cleopatra decided to end her life. Dismaying her servants and accompanied only by her favorite asp she retired to her couch. She was found later by a servant who gave the alarm. The court physician diagnosed the case of death as snake-bite.

The paper's medical correspondent would then describe for the benefit of the uninformed, the precise effect of a bite in the bosom: Alas there is no such newspaper in existence. But the collection of newspapers which is gathered here must cause politicians a lot of uneasiness. They can always be confronted with what they said in a moment of exasperation or in the days before they turned their political coats inside-out.

There is no point in the question as to what Gladstone said in '84. The answer is on file. Gladstone, being dead, can never claim to have been mis-reported.

**Record Sugar Beet Crop**  
The largest crop on record, the yield of sugar beets grown this year in the province of Alberta, Canada, is estimated at nearly 430,000 tons from which about 36,000,000 pounds of sugar will be produced with several hundred tons of molasses.

Mountain goats are classed as the rarest and wildest of Rocky Mountain game.

W. N. U. 1966

## The Canning Season

Thrifty Housewife Will Store Away Fruits and Vegetables For Winter Use

A timely suggestion comes from the Dominion Fruit Branch at Ottawa in the form of a message which has a real appeal to housewives all over Canada, whether in the farm home or in the city. We all know the difficult straits in which many of our fellow citizens find themselves as a result of conditions entirely beyond their control. With a wealth of fruits and vegetables available at lower prices than for many years, and with other necessary things such as sugar and containers equally available, there should be no need to elaborate about a ready response to the appeal "Just can a little more, if you can, when you can."

## Mystery Chest Opened

Left By Bishop Has Mocked Inquiries For 22 Years

The "mystery chest" left by the famous "heretical" Bishop Colenso with instructions that it should not be inspected until the last member of his family has died, has at last been opened.

For 22 years the chest stood in St. Mary's church at Maritzburg, Natal, S.A., mocking the inquiries.

Government and church officials crowded around when it was opened. Only an ant's nest and a piece of red cloth were found inside.



WHAT NEW YORK IS WEARING (By Helen Williams) Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern



A charming wine-red rough crepe silk with a very graceful bodice arrangement in surplice effect. The sleeves, gathered into deep fitted cuffs, cut in with the fronts of the waist. The skirt is slightly circular and attached to the waist. It's simplicity itself to make it. Style No. 3174 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36 38 and 40 inches bust. Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards of 39-inch material. It's exceedingly lovely too carried out in black crinkled crepe satin. Price of pattern 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

## How To Order Patterns

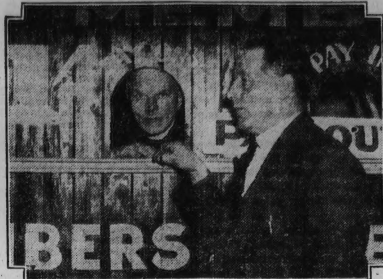
Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. .... Size .....

Name .....

Down .....

## PRIEST RUNS A TOTE CLUB



A tote club organized by a Roman Catholic priest, Father Carless, of St. Ann's Church, in the heart of London's dockland, has a membership of 1,200, including 200 women. Father Carless considers betting a legitimate pastime, and as nearly all the members back horses and dogs, he wishes them to get as fair a chance as possible. The profits will be used to pay for the club first and then to improve their social life. Father Carless is shown at the Tote window paying out.

## Prairie Wheat Crop

Bank Of Montreal Report Places Yield At 415,000,000 Bushels

Taken as a whole, the principal field crops of Canada have seldom attained such total volume as during the present season or been of a higher quality. Yields were generally satisfactory in each of the provinces; despite sectional reverses due to weather conditions or other causes. A preliminary estimate of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics placed the total yield of wheat in the prairie provinces at 446,000,000 bushels but from latest reports a total of around 415,000,000 bushels is now anticipated. Even so, the yield is well in excess of the ten-year average and the largest crop since 1928.

Last year's prairie crop was approximately 300,000,000 bushels. The wheat marketed to date has graded exceptionally high and tests indicate that the high protein content will be maintained. The western oat crop is estimated at 274,000,000 bushels against 183,700,000 bushels last year and the barley crop at 70,000,000 bushels as compared with 50,500,000 bushels.

## Severe Test For Firemen

Milan Brigade Called Out To Stop Flood Of Molten Glass

The ingenuity of the Milan Fire Brigade was put to a severe test when firemen were called out to stop a flood of molten glass.

One of the sides of a huge furnace tank in a glass factory suddenly gave way and immediately the whole floor of the factory became flooded with liquid glass.

The workmen all managed to escape, but could not stop the flow from the tank, and the transparent lava spread to the doorway, into the street, and down stairs to the cellars of the factory.

The Fire Brigade sent for large supplies of ice, with which the firemen solidified the creeping margins of the glass. They then turned to the seething bulk itself, hosed it with lead water, and gradually made it all solid.

Next day, with the factory very much under glass, the second phase of the work was begun—the liberation with pick and hammer of the densely encased premises.

Workmen's jackets and other personal belongings were visible in the glass as if preserved in ice.

## Collectors Seek First Air Mail Envelope

French Group Willing To Pay Million Francs For It

A first offer of one million francs has been posted by a group of French stamp collectors for the first envelope ever carried by air mail, provided the envelope can be found and its authenticity proved.

The first air mail consisted of a single envelope carried aloft by a Frenchman, Jean-Pierre Blanchard, on Jan. 9, 1793, from a Philadelphia prison court yard to prove the military and commercial possibilities of balloons.

The first letter bore the signature of Washington, addressing good-will to the American citizens. After a flight of 45 minutes, the balloon landed at Woodbury, N.J., and the Washington air-mail letter was delivered to the mayor.

This flight is a matter of historical record. If found the envelope will be officially recognized as being the first air mail letter.

## Little Things To Fight

Simple Measures Can Be Taken To Control Internal Parasites In Animals

Dr. Lionel Stevenson, Provincial Zoologist for Ontario, in a recent review of work being done in connection with the control of internal parasites of animals stated that those which give principal cause of concern in the livestock industry are comparatively few. Of these he named six principal internal parasites in sheep, two in swine, two in cattle, three in horses, two in poultry, and five in fur-bearing animals. In the case of most of these parasites it is possible to check their ravages by simple control measures—Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

## Knew What He Had

He had dined well, but unwisely. At last the time came for him to go home.

In the street he approached a policeman.

"Officer," he said falteringly, "I'm looking for a parking place."

The policeman looked hard at him. "But you've no car, sir," he said.

"Oh, yes I have!" said the reveler.

"It's in the parking-place I'm looking for."



LITTLE JONES (to hobo): "You run a great risk, my man, soliciting alms. How do you know you are not addressing the Chief Constable of the city?"—London Opinion.

# Eight Points The Careful Driver Will Observe In Order To Decrease Motor Accidents

## Fur Auction

Collection Of Arctic Timber-Wolf Skins Sold In Winnipeg

A collection of 282 arctic timber wolves was sold by auction in Winnipeg recently, the outstanding feature of the Dominion Fur Auction Company's October sale of raw furs. The skins were the property of the Dominion Government and on each one of them a bounty of \$20 had been paid to the trapper regardless of its size or quality. A substantial portion of the pelts had been taken from small pups and the average price realized was consequently lowered considerably.

Prices ranged all the way from 25 cents for small damaged skins up to \$20.50 for large sizes of good quality. The collection averaged \$11.

A collection of late-caught beaver ranged between \$11 and \$17.50 and averaged \$8.55 unchanged to five per cent. higher than the prices realized in August. Cross fox sold unchanged to five per cent. higher, realizing from \$1.80 for badly rubbed skins up to forty dollars for good specimens.

The mink collection was very springy and prices realized were not representative. The range was 25 cents up to \$5.00. Red foxes were in poor demand and mostly bought back. Muskrats were all bought back.

White foxes brought around \$18 for ones and twos with average Mackenzie River and Chesterfield Inlet lots bringing from \$16 to \$16.75, unchanged from the August level.

Marten advanced 10 per cent., ranging up to \$21.50 and averaging \$10.50. Otter was in poor demand and sold unchanged, the range being from \$2 to \$16.

A collection of 2,500 weasel attracted fair demand, advancing about five per cent. Prices ranged from 25 cents up to \$2 1/2. Coon and averaged 30 cents for the skins sold.

Ordinary weasels declined about 10 per cent., ranging from \$8.25 down to \$2.75 and averaging \$5.00.—Manitoba Free Press.

## Making Air Travel Popular

Sweden's Aerotransport Company Find Ways To Stimulate Business

In spite of the depression there was an increase of about 50 per cent. in the number of passengers on Sweden's continental air lines during the first six months of this year according to a statement by Captain Florman, the head of the Swedish Aerotransport Company. About 75 per cent. of the passengers are business men who are attracted by the saving of time in transit and by the safety and regularity of the aerial traffic. The former time of transit between Malmö and Paris, eleven hours, was this year brought down to seven hours, and will next year be further reduced to about five hours, thanks to the fact that luncheon will be served in the planes to eliminate the previous luncheon interval at Amsterdam. Other novel features are the facility for the passengers to send private radio messages while in the air and the introduction next year of special night planes with sleeping accommodation for the passengers.

As a further stimulant to the interest in using the air lines the Aerotransport Company has now reduced the fares of the Baltic Air Express by 25 per cent. on the Malmö-Paris stretch, so that the cost approximately corresponds to the second class railway fare.

## Trade With France

Negotiations for a new trade treaty between Canada and France are expected to open shortly. Hon. C. H. Cahan, secretary of state in the Dominion Government, returns from Geneva soon, where he was Canada's delegate to the League, and it is anticipated preliminary conversations will begin then. French authorities are understood to be favorable.

## Germany Buys Our Eels

The largest market for Canadian eels, states a report of the Department of Trade and Commerce, is in Germany where considerable quantities are shipped annually. A cargo of 50,000 pounds of eels, the second large shipment this season, has started the trade for the present season.

The smallest fog particles have been measured at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. It was found that 25,000 of them could be placed on the head of a pin.

Motor vehicle officials in Massachusetts are convinced that there are eight big points of difference between drivers who do not have accidents and those whose records are blemished with mishaps.

They believe if all drivers could be made to realize that these eight accident factors are the primary ones, and that if they both knew what they were and how to avoid them, the traffic safety situation would be benefited enormously.

That is why they devote two months every year at the height of the travel season to the especially strict enforcement of these eight "thou shalt nots" with the idea of educating drivers as to their importance. The campaign is more, then, than a sporadic period of rigorous enforcement.

It might be interesting for the average motorist to sit down with a pencil before reading the list of mishap factors and see how many of the eight he can name and in what order he places them. They have not been selected by chance but on the basis of a thorough study of traffic mishaps over a long period of years. The list follows:

Driving too fast for conditions.

Passing another vehicle going in the same direction when the view ahead is obstructed.

Failure to keep to the right of the road.

Failure to slow down for intersections.

Failure to slow down when approaching pedestrians.

Failure to observe the law regarding stopping for street cars taking on or discharging passengers.

Disregard of traffic control devices, signs, signals and stop lights.

Dangerous or improper parking, as on curves and corners.

The eight points might well be taken by any motorist anywhere as his guide to an accidentless driving experience. If he were to undertake the task of self-education, it is doubtful that he could find a better point of beginning than that of learning just what careless, heedless, or reckless misfeasance in traffic is likely to get him into trouble.

He could make enormous headway in improving his safety were he to realize the full meaning of only the first factor; that of driving too fast for conditions. There never has been an accident tabulation or analysis which did not rank this as the most serious breach against the canon of safe operation. Even the most liberal-minded motorist, vehicle officials, those who have stood for the elimination of all maximum speed limit laws, enter no demurrer to this indictment of speed.

Therefore, if the car operator wants to be safe as far as the Massachusetts eight points are concerned, his procedure is to decide to use his intelligence at all times in selecting his speed and to obey the law with respect to the other seven qualifications of a careful operator.

## May Investigate Coal Prices

Canadian Fuel Board Has Been Requested To Act

The Canadian fuel board has been requested by Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Mines, to enquire into and prepare a memorandum of the facts on coal prices in Canada. Official announcement to this effect was made by the minister.

Action is being taken on recent suggestions that coal prices were somewhat high. The question engaged the attention of the senate recently when Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen suggested the senate might undertake an inquiry into this matter.

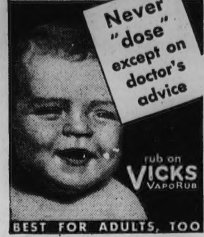
In the senate, the question of coal prices arose when Hon. Cairine Wilson called attention to an article in a Toronto newspaper which had alleged the existence of a coal combine in British, anthracite.



"I believe in love at first sight. I have experienced it myself ten times lately."—Luigi Kiste, Leipzig.



# BABY'S COLDS



## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Actual operations on the establishment of the trans-Canada chain of airfields began on November 1.

Over 50 French language weeklies in the province of Quebec have joined in formation of the "French Weekly Newspaper Association of Canada."

Over sixty per cent. of the creamery butter produced in Canada comes from two provinces, Ontario and Quebec.

Premier Benito Mussolini appealed to the United States to cancel or reduce the European war debts in an open air address at Turin, Italy.

Practicing barrister and resident of Winnipeg, Man., for half a century, Henry Nason, 76, is dead. Born in Weston, Ont., he came to Winnipeg in 1882.

Fourteen persons were killed when a floor collapsed in a house near Egypt in upper Egypt while a wedding ceremony was in progress. The bride was one of the victims.

The Alberta Government and the Dominion Administration will be asked to render assistance in a scheme to provide food control on the Bow River at Calgary.

A plaque bearing the names of 133 French soldiers who lost their lives during the siege of Yorktown 151 years ago, has been unveiled in Paris, France.

The Dowager Marchioness of Lansdowne, widow of the fifth Marquis of Lansdowne who was Governor-General of Canada, from 1883 to 1888, died recently in London, England.

Judge Holman Gregory was appointed common sergeant of the City of London in succession to Sir Henry Fielding Dickens, sixth son of Charles Dickens.

The decision whether all Canadian wheat shipped to United Kingdom ports shall enjoy the six-cents-a-bushel preference or only that going direct from Canadian ports is a matter for the British Government, Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, said.

## YOUR LIVER'S MAKING YOU FEEL OUT OF SORTS

Wake up your Liver Bile

No Calomel needed

When you feel blue, depressed, sour on the world, that's your liver which isn't doing its daily two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels. Digestion and elimination are being slowed up, food is accumulating and decaying inside you and making you feel miserable. You need a liver stimulant. Carter's Little Liver Pills is the best one. Safe. Purely vegetable. Sure. Ask for them by name. Refuse substitutes. 50c. at all druggists.

### Canada's Bicycle Output

There were 18,429 bicycles manufactured in Canada in 1931. These were valued at the factories at \$485,636. Men's bicycles numbered 17,319 valued at \$458,631 and women's and children's totalled 1,110 valued at \$27,005. Bicycles manufactured in 1930 totalled 26,826 and had a value of \$706,386.

Customer—You said the tortoise I bought from you would live 300 years and it died the day after I bought it. Dealer—Now, isn't that too bad. The 300-years must have been up.

Head Colds, Head, Mucous, and Sore Throat. Heat, then, rub well into affected parts. Real relief... quickly!

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

W. N. U. 1936

## Sounds Like Magic

Press Button In High-Speed Restaurant and Food Appears

"No waiting" is the slogan of a restaurant just opened in Prague. Diners don't wait for the waiters, for there aren't any waiters to keep them waiting. As he walks through the hall of the restaurant the customer chooses his meal from gigantic menu boards hanging on the walls. Arrived at the office, he gives his order and receives a ticket with a number upon it. He then goes to the seat bearing that number.

Down the middle of the table runs a broad travelling band, and barely has he taken his place when his first dish comes bobbing along. He removes it from the band, disposes of it, and then places the empty plates and dishes upon another band beneath the table, which moves in the opposite direction. Meantime he presses a button and in a matter of seconds the next course appears. The dirty plates and dishes are carried by their band to the washing-up department, whence yet another band takes them back to the kitchen. The price of a three-course meal is about twenty-five cents, and so well is the restaurant paying that its owner is talking of supplying another course for the same money.

## Deserves The Honor

Earl Byng Earned Award Of Field Marshal's Baton

General Byng had a remarkably good record as a commander in the great war and richly deserves the field marshal's baton that has been awarded to him. The Canadian expeditionary force served under General Byng, who, after the war, became governor-general of this Dominion.

When a British soldier is given "the baton," he reaches the highest rank in the army, that of field marshal. The baton is a short staff presented by the king as a symbol of office. No one is made a field marshal unless he is of royal blood or has rendered distinguished service.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union  
Furnished Dressmaking Lesson  
Furnished With Every Pattern



## WHAT NEW YORK IS WEARING

(By Helen Williams)

A cunning dress for tiny maids with a big boy collar just like older sister is wearing.

To make it very practical of course, it has matching bloomers to complete it.

The fullness of the dress, falls from a brief shoulder yoke giving lots of leg space to romp about.

It's as cute as can be as sketched in French blue linen with white linen trim.

Spotted wool challis—red with tiny blue spots and white piping collar and trim is fetching.

Size 4 requires 2½ yards 35-inch with ¾ yard 35-inch contrasting.

Price of pattern 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

## How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. .... Size .....

Name .....

Town .....

## The Loneliest Island

Canard Liner "Carinthia" To Visit Tristan De Cunha Next Year

Weather permitting, Tristan De Cunha, loneliest island in the inhabited world, will be visited by the Canard World Cruise Liner "Carinthia" while on her journey around the world, via the southern hemisphere, early next year.

A large quantity of food supplies will be sent ashore for the lonely islanders, and the captain of the "Carinthia" will offer a banquet to the islanders in the dining saloon of the ship.

It will be imagined with what pleasure the hundred and sixty inhabitants will look forward to seeing the "Carinthia," when it is realized that more than a year sometimes elapses without a ship calling here. When a ship called two years ago at the island, the natives said they still had plenty of canned sardines, epom salts, and Bibles. They requested poison for rats, their one mongoose being unable to make serious inroads on the bite-outs of the rodents.

Although the inhabitants frequently become depressed over the scarcity of food and long absences of ships, they always refuse to leave the island when offered land elsewhere. They are often without mail and newspapers for a long time and their food supplies are often insufficient because the soil and the sea give them poor support.

The island is the largest and the only inhabited one of a group of three, situated in the middle of the south Atlantic, and was named after a Portuguese admiral who discovered them in 1506. The main island, Tristan, is an extinct volcano, and rises 7,640 feet above the level of the sea. The crater summit is filled with fresh water. St. Helena, 1,320 miles north, is the nearest inhabited land, while Cape Town is 1,400 miles east. Buenos Aires 2,500 miles west, and the South Pole, 3,200 miles south. Until the middle of the last century the neighboring waters were visited by American whalers, but with the decline of the whaling industry these visits ceased. The whalers have been sadly missed by the Tristanites.

Five nationalities live on the island today—English, Scotch, Irish, American and Italian. They have intermarried, and of course, there are few family names, there being four families named Glass, eight named Green, four named Rogers, two named Swain and five named Laverlo.

The only lights on the island come from lamps filled with oil made from the blubber of sea elephants.

Strange to relate, the people like poetry.

"The temperature ranges from 70 degrees down to 40 degrees."

Edinburgh, the only settlement on the island, named for the Duke of Edinburgh, who visited the island in 1867, is on a plateau nine miles long and one and one-half miles wide. The settlement is 115 years old. A system of barter prevails, but there is no money.

Foreman (on excavating job)—"Do you think you are fit for really hard labor?"

Applicant—"Well, some of the best judges in the country have thought so."

## FAT MAN LOSES 63 lbs.

Kruschen and Walking

Overweight men who want to lose a few pounds can have the benefit of this man's experiences. He gives them to you for publication:

"In a little over twelve months I have reduced my weight from 227 lbs. to 164 lbs., by taking a dose of Kruschen Salts every morning for six months, and taking walking exercise every day. This remarkable achievement is all the more interesting when one considers that I did not resort to any form of dieting."—G. L. B.

You can take off fat with Kruschen Salts if you will take one-half teaspoon in hot water every morning before breakfast, modify your diet, and exercise regularly.

While you are losing fat you will be gaining in energy—in endurance—in ambition. The old arm chair won't hold you any more—you'll want to be up and doing—you'll enjoy work and active recreation and you'll sleep like a top. You'll lose fat, and probably live years longer.

## Canadian Wheat Exports

Volume Is Much Greater This Year Than Previous Season

For the first 11 weeks of the current crop year, exports of Canadian wheat totalled 33,650,900 bushels compared with 29,453,299 bushels for the same period of last year, according to a report issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics. For the week ended October 14, the total was 6,946,766. This was a decline from the previous week of nearly 1,000,000 bushels.

The following table shows the quantities exported and their channels of exportation in the first 11 weeks:

	1932	1931
Montreal	24,951,813	11,774,077
Vancouver	13,198,374	8,012,768
Churchill	2,756,029	Nil
Sorel	5,623,852	1,785,387
Quebec	431,371	88,326
Victoria	314,627	84,769
Prince Rupert	677,813	Nil
U.S. Ports	5,746,000	7,248,000

## An Optical Illusion

Experience Most Drivers Have When Approaching Intersection

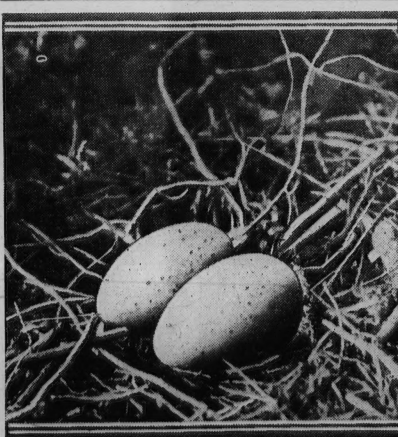
A car coming from the right at a street intersection will always seem to be going faster than it actually is. This is an optical illusion produced by the action of your eyes and the fellow's car arriving at the point of a "traffic wedge" at the same time. As the cars near the point of this wedge they seem to increase in speed, when as a matter of fact they may be slowing down.

When meeting a car under such circumstances it is best to be guided by the illusion and slow down accordingly, but if caught in a situation where you are too late to avoid a collision by stopping it is well to know that the other car is not travelling as fast as it seems and that you can reach the crossing safely by speeding up a little.

Paul Whiteman defines a diplomat as a man who can give his wife a \$60 washing machine and make her forget it was a \$600 fur coat she wanted.

Established just a century ago, with a strength of 100, the city of London police force now numbers 1,200, and has its own wireless receiving station and "flying squad."

## + Do You Know? +



Photograph, Canadian National Railway

THAT although practically everyone who has been in the Canadian north has heard and seen a lion, few have ever discovered their nesting place or seen their eggs? The photograph shows a lion's nest with two eggs in it.

## Russia Imports Wheat

Becomes An Importer As Well As An Exporter

For the first time in a number of years, Soviet Russia has become an importer as well as an exporter of wheat. The greater part of her imports were from Canada. Official figures revealed that during the first eight months of 1932, the nation—known as the granary of Europe—imported more wheat than it sold abroad. This was not, however, the case with other grains and cereals.

An official of the commissariat for foreign trade, explained in order to supply the increased needs of the East it had been found more expeditious and less of a strain on badly overcrowded transport to buy wheat abroad for ocean delivery at Vladivostok rather than ship it there by rail from Ukraine.

Communist spokesmen denied there was any actual wheat shortage. They pointed out that Russia was still exporting.

Exports of wheat from Canada to Soviet Russia were from the grain fields of Alberta and were shipped from Vancouver to Vladivostok during the summer months.

Of the total imports of Soviet Russia, Canada supplied approximately 1,597,248 bushels, shipped in eight cargoes from the Pacific coast ports.

## Branded Beef Is Popular

Now Being More Fully Appreciated By Consumers, As Shown By Sales Increase

The annual report of the Minister of Agriculture for Canada for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1932, contains the following reference with respect to officially branded beef:

"That the advantage of being able to purchase beef which carries some definite indication of quality is being more fully appreciated by consumers is apparent from the steady increase in sales of graded beef. Sales of this product for the last calendar year totalled over 17,000,000 pounds, and weekly reports, which are received from all establishments which are branding beef under the regulations indicate a very gratifying increase in sales for the first few months of the present year."

## Pie Crust Easily Made

No Skill Required For Success With New Method

The making of a good pie crust used to be one of the criteria by which a housewife's skill was judged. Most experienced cooks will remember the anxiety with which they learned to blend flour and shortening, and their difficulty in adding just the right amount of moisture. Since different flours have varying capacities for absorbing moisture it took experience to know by the "feel" of the pie dough when it was ready for rolling.

The filling was not as hard to make, from a technical point of view, but it took time and there were plenty of utensils to wash afterward! Now there is a new method of making pie with "crumb crusts and uncooked fillings which is hailed with delight.

Sweetened Condensed Milk is the "magic" ingredient which makes these new pies possible. These easy combinations of pie crusts and fillings are divided into two groups: meringue pie, and cream pies. The fillings in each case are made by blending sweetened condensed milk and lemon juice. This makes a thick, rich base to which various kinds of fresh fruits may be added.

In making the crust for meringue pie blend one cup crumbs (graham crackers, toasted graham bread, chocolate wafers or lemon snaps) with ¾ cup sweetened condensed milk and a few grains of salt. Line a well-buttered pie tin with this crumbly mixture and pat into shape. Pie made with this crust should be spread with meringue and require only as much time in the oven as is needed to brown the fluffy topping.

If whipped cream is to be used in place of meringue roll ¾ cup of crumbs and cover bottom of buttered pie plate. Cut halves of wafers or crackers and set them around the edge of the pie plate. This type of crust needs no baking at all.

Both types of pies require thorough chilling for several hours. Raspberries, blueberries or strawberries may be used in place of blackberries in the Blackberry Meringue Pie which is given below.

## BLACKBERRY MERINGUE PIE

1½ cups (1 can) Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk.  
¼ cup lemon juice.  
2 eggs.  
1 cup blackberries.  
2 tablespoons granulated sugar.  
Toasted Graham Bread Pie Crust.

Blend together Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk, lemon juice and egg yolks. Fold in blackberries which have been slightly crushed. Pour into nine-inch pie plate lined with Toasted Graham Cracker Pie Crust. Cover with meringue made by beating egg whites until stiff and adding sugar. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) until brown. Chill before serving.

Switzerland has a lower-rent drive.

## Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



She's Up in the Air Again  
Those she loves... are first to suffer when monthly pains shatter her nerves. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would ease that awful agony.

## Mixed Marriages Not Favored By Italians

And Nearly All Weddings Are In Place Of Worship

A curious "stay home" custom still prevails among Italians with regard to marriage. There are hardly any mixed marriages. Of those who found spouses last year, 99.95 per cent. of the Catholic men married Catholic wives. Of the very small fraction who went further afield married women of other Christian cults, and the other married wives of the Jewish faith.

Of the women, rather fewer Catholics married Protestants or Jews and only a dozen espoused men who registered as "without any religion." On the other hand 28.52 per cent. of the Jewish men who married and 27.52 per cent. of the Jewish brides chose either Catholics or Protestants.

Although a purely civil marriage is now legal, about 96.88 per cent. were married in a place of public worship.

## An Important Business

The making of lasts, trees, and shoe findings in Canada has grown into quite an important business. The factory value of the output in 1931 was \$1,190,433. The business also turns out some interesting sidelines, not included in the above. These are alloy bowls, ten pins, duck pins, golf club heads, tongue depressors, wooden candy spoons and sticks, etc. The factory value of these last year was \$21,160. There are seven factories in Quebec, two in Nova Scotia and two in Ontario.

The statue of Texas is as large as 212 Rhode Islands.



## DECLARE THEY HATE SIGHT OF DUST CLOTHS

Canadian women vote dust cloths a nuisance to use and to wash

MUCH PREFER APPLEFORD WONDER PAPER.

With so much inventive thought being given to eliminating unnecessary housework, it is only natural that a worthwhile substitute for the dusty dust cloth should be sought.

Now it has been found! Appleford Wonder Paper which actually dusts—as it cleans—as it polishes is receiving a hearty welcome from Canadian women who detest dust cloths and all they stand for.

Wonder Paper is made from clean glass and soft paper pulp, thoroughly impregnated with a high-grade furniture polish, and absorbs dirt instead of spreading it. Appleford Wonder Paper comes in handy-size packages, twenty-five sheets, each as large as a dust cloth. You merely crumple a sheet into a soft wad, and go over the surfaces requiring attention. You'll be amazed at the quick and lasting finish Wonder Paper gives. When one side is worn and soiled, simply turn the Wonder Paper inside out. After the furniture or woodwork has been gone over, you can still use your Wonder Paper on the floors.

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## Special Offer

Wonder Paper is made by the makers of the famous PARASANI heavy wadded paper in the Green Box. Most grocery, hardware and department stores sell Appleford Wonder Paper. If yours doesn't, just send the coupon and we'll give you a few and unique booklet entitled "Left-overs," containing one hundred recipes, as a bonus for your trouble.

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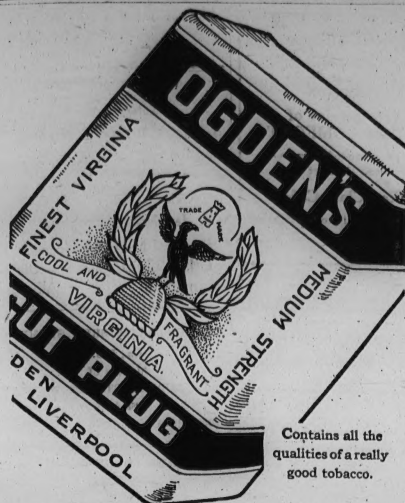
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## THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

— BY —  
MARGARET FIDLES  
Author of  
"The Splendid Polly," "The Hermit of Far West,"  
Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd., London.

CHAPTER XXXVI—Continued

Both girls had their "premiers de jeunesses" served to them in their rooms, so that each one's morning mail was an unknown quantity to the other until they met downstairs.

"From Lady Anne?" Jean looked interested. "What does she say?"

"She says—she writes—"

Here Claire floundered and came to a stop as though uncertain how to proceed, the little puzzled frown deepening between her brows. "Oh, Jean, she had a special reason for writing—some news—"

Jean's arm, hanging slackly at her side, jerked suddenly. Something in Claire's half-frightened, deprecating voice made her turn and look through her. Her heart turned to ice within her.

"News?" she said in a harsh, strangled voice. "Tell me quick—what is it?"

"—Claire?" Blaise? He's not—"

Her face, drained of every drop of colour, her suddenly pinched nostrils and eyes stricken with quick fear drew a swift cry from Claire.

"No—not!" she exclaimed in hasty

## SITUATION VACANT—FEMALE

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STOP  
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Immediately turned his revolver on himself. Blaise and Nick heard the shots and rushed down to the Boundary Woods where the shots had sounded—you'll know where I mean, the woods that lie along the border between Willow Ferry and Staple. There they found them. Nesta was dead, and de Chassaigne dying. He had just strength enough to confide in Blaise all that I have written. I am writing to you, because I think it might come as too great a shock to Jean as you say she is still so far from strong. You must tell her—"

Jean interrupted the reading with a shout of laughter.

"Oh, Claire! Claire! You blessed infant! I suppose all those preliminary remarks of yours about a letter from Lady Anne and the news it contained were by way of preparing me for the shock—breaking the news' in fact?"

"Yes," admitted Claire, flushing a little.

Jean rocked with laughter—gay, spontaneous laughter such as Claire had not heard issue from her lips since the day when Madame de Varigny had come to Staple.

"And you just about succeeded in frightening me to death!" continued Jean. "Oh, Claire, Claire, you adorable little goose, didn't you know that good news never kills?"

"I didn't feel at all sure," returned Claire, laughing a little, too, in spite of herself. "You've looked lately as though it wouldn't take very much of anything—good or bad—to kill you."

"Well, it would now," Jean assured her solemnly. "Not all the powers of darkness would prevail against me. I verily believe." She paused, frowning a little. "How beastly it is, though, to feel outrageously happy because someone is dead! It's indecent. Poor little Nesta! Oh, Claire! Is it hateful of me to feel like this? Do say it isn't, because—because I can't help it."

"Of course it isn't," protested Claire. "It's only natural."

"I suppose it is. And I really am sorry for Nesta—though I'm so happy myself that it sort of swamps it. Oh, Claire darling!—the shadow passing and sheer gladness of soul bubbling up again into her voice—"I'm bound to kiss someone—at once. I'll have to be you! And look! Those two must be here any moment—Lady Anne said so. I'm going to make myself beautiful—if I can. I wish I hadn't grown so thin! The most ravishing look in the world would look a failure draped on a clothes-horse. Still, I'll do what I can to conceal from Blaise the hideous ravages of time. And I'm not going to wear black—I won't welcome him back in sackcloth and ashes! I won't! I won't! I've got the dearest frock upstairs—a filmy grey thing like moonlight. I'm going to wear that. I know—I know—softly—that Glyn would understand."

"If he knew anything at all about it—and one would like to think he did—it is quite certain Peterson would have approved his daughter's decision. For to his incurably romantic spirit, the idea of a woman going to meet her lover of whom a malignant fate had so nearly robbed her altogether, clad in the sable habiliments with which she had paid filial tribute to her father's death, would have appeared of all things the most incongruous and irreconcilable."

Jean passed her hand across her eyes like one who has seen some bright light of surpassing radiance.

"Tell me, Claire," she said at last, tremblingly. "Tell me..." She broke off, unable to manage her voice.

"I'll read you what Lady Anne says," replied Claire quickly. "After writing that Nesta is dead and Nick and Blaise are coming—here, she goes on: 'Poor Nesta! One cannot help feeling sorry for her—killed so suddenly and so tragically. And yet such a death seems quite in the picture with her lawless, wayward nature! She was shot, Claire, shot in the Boundary Woods by a Frenchman who had apparently followed her to England for the express purpose. It appears he met her at Chateau Varigny, in the days when she was posing as Madame de Varigny's niece, and fell violently in love with her. Of course Nesta could not marry him, and equally of course the Frenchman—he was the Vicomte de Chassaigne—did not know that she had a husband already. So, naturally, he hoped eventually to win her, and Nesta (who, as you know, would flirt with the butcher's boy if there were no one else handy) encouraged him and allowed him to make love to her to his heart's content. Then, after her return to Staple, he learned of her marriage, and, furious at having been so utterly deceived, he followed. He must have watched very carefully for some days, as he apparently knew her favourite walks, and waylaid her one afternoon in the woods. What passed between them we shall never know, for Chassaigne killed her and then

So that when at last a prehistoric vehicle, chartered from the Inn of the Green Dragon in the village below, tolled slowly up the hill to Belmfels and Blaise and Nick climbed down from its musty interior, a slender moon-grey figure, which might have been observed standing within the shadow of a tall stone pillar and following with striding eyes the snail-like progress of the old-fashioned carriage up the steep white road, flitted swiftly back into the shelter of the house. Claire, dimpling and smiling at the great gateway of the castle, alone received the travellers.

"Go along that corridor," she said to Blaise, when they had exchanged greetings. "To the end door of all. That's the sun-parlour. You'll find Jean there. She thought it appropriate—smiling at him."

Then, as Blaise strode down the corridor indicated, she turned to Nick and asked him with an adorable coquetry why he, too, had come to Belmfels?

"I've heard it is the House of Dreams-Come-True," replied Nick promptly. "I seemed a likely place in which to find you, most beautiful."

Claire beamed at him.

"Oh, am I that—really, Nick?"

"Of course you are. The most beautiful in all the world. Claire"—tucking his arm into hers—"tell me, how is the 'soul-rebuilding' process getting on? that's why I came, really, you know, to find out if you had completely finished redecorating your interior—I can vouch for the outer woman myself—with an adoring glance at the fluffy ash-blond hair and pure little Greuze profile."

Claire rubbed her cheek against his sleeve. To a woman who has been for four months limited almost exclusively to the society of one other woman—the rough 'feel' of a man's coat-sleeve (more particularly if he should happen to be the man) and the faint fragrance of tobacco which pervades it form an almost delicious combination.

Claire hauled down her flag precipitately.

"I'm ready to go back to England any time now, Nick," she murmured. "Are you? Darling! How soon can you be ready? In a week? Tomorrow? Next day?"

"Quite soon. And meanwhile, mightn't you—you and Blaise—stay for a bit at the Green Dragon?"

"We might," replied Nick solemnly, quite omitting to mention that something of the sort had been precisely their intention when leaving England.

Meanwhile Blaise had made his way to the door at the end of the corridor. Outside it he paused, overwhelmed by the sudden realization that beyond that wooden barrier lay holy ground—Paradise! And the Angel with the flaming sword stood at the gate no longer.

She was waiting for him over by the window, straight and slim and tall in front of her, her hands clasped like those of a child. But her eyes were woman's eyes.

(To Be Continued.)

## Travellers' Taste In Fiction Has Changed

Murder and Mystery Stories Are Most In Demand

When people go travelling nowadays they want murder and mystery stories instead of love stories to help them while away the time according to Martin Bahr, proprietor of a book store in a railway station at Detroit.

"I used to sell a lot of stories about meeting pretty girls and falling in love, but that was two or three years ago," he said. "Now they want two or three murders in their books or else western stories, which are next in popularity."

The books on astrology, so popular a few years back, are seldom asked for, according to Bahr. Likewise, there is little demand for the souvenirs bought avidly a few years ago.

## Britain's Oldest Woman

Never Could Be Persuaded To Disclose Her Age

Mrs. Arabella Bridgman, who has just died at The Laurels, Clewer, Windsor, at the age of 106, was believed to be the oldest woman in Britain—but she never admitted it.

She refused to put her age on any document—even the census paper—and she would not fill up income tax forms.

She had lived at The Laurels for more than 80 years, but she always refused to have gas or electricity in the house, which was lit by candles.

Boss—Please get out the balance sheet as soon as possible.

New Bookkeeper—Yes, sir; do you want it in favor, or not?

# MORNING AFTER



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## Virgin Rock Seldom Seen

Phenomenon On Nova Scotia Coast Usually Obscured By Fog

The coastline of Nova Scotia is well known for its rugged splendor. Twisting and turning in almost endless variety, it provides quiet harbors and coves, as well as points where surging seas rage futilely against impregnable rock. Down through the centuries one of the coastal attractions has existed near this village.

A mile from Prospect, out on Burnt Island, where the breakers expend their greatest force, lies the Virgin Rock, so named because of its remarkable resemblance to the Virgin and Child. Ages of erosion have formed the great rock into the shape of a woman's head and shoulders and the head and shoulders of a child.

Occasions when the phenomenon may be seen are rare, due to weather conditions, and comparatively few persons, including residents of Prospect, have had a good view of the Virgin Rock. With a heavy sea running, an approach to the rock is impossible, and when the water is smooth, fog is likely to obscure the view.

## Locate Submarine Mountain In Pacific

More Than One Mile High Opinion Of Surveyors

A huge submarine mountain, more than a mile high, has been discovered in the ocean 50 miles west of Santa Cruz, California, by the crew of the geodetic survey boat "Guide," which has been making soundings near here. A huge crater, 7,000 feet deep, was located some time ago. The top of the mountain is approximately 800 fathoms, or 5,400 feet, under the surface.

Edible bird nests are being gathered in Java and the Philippines for export to China.

The average weight of an elephant is about five tons.

## Little Helps For This Week

"Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be like-minded one toward another, according to Christ Jesus"—Romans xv. 5.

"Let patience have her perfect work."—James 1. 4.

Make me patient, kind, and gentle Day by day; Teach me how to live more nearly As I pray.

—Sharp's Magazine.

The exercise of patience involves a continual practice of the presence of God; for we may be come upon at any moment for an almost heroic display of good temper, and it is a short road to selfishness, for nothing is left to self. All that seems to be most intimate, to be self's private property, such as time, home, and rest, are invaded by these continual trials of patience. The family is full of such opportunities.—F. W. Faber.

Persian Balm is magical in creating alluring complexions. A little gentle rubbing and your skin is invigorated and touched with the true beauty of youth. Charming fragrance. Delightful to use. Cools and caresses the skin. Relieves all roughness and chafing caused by weather conditions. Tones and stimulates. Enhances and protects the loveliest complexion. Unrivalled as a perfect aid to beauty and charm.

English Language Used

All signs on Japanese ships are in English—even the signs on the bridge which is never occupied by anybody but Japanese. The menu is printed in English only, not Japanese, even on ships which never run into an English-speaking port.

"Animals do not know what it is to be superstitious," declares a clergyman. But we have yet to hear of the mouse that will pass a white cat on the stairs on a Friday.

One of the most beautiful sights in the Hawaiian Islands is the moonlight rainbow.

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A dance for the purpose of raising money for the Christmas tree fund will be held in the Roseberry school on November 18. The music will be furnished by Coulman's Orchestra and the admission is 50c for gentls, ladies free.

**NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS M.D. 424**  
Take notice that the period allowing 5 per cent. discount in current taxes has been extended to November 30th, 1932.  
B. H. GREEN, Secy-Treas.  
M.D. No. 424.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS M.D. 424**  
Please note that if the arrears of Hall insurance taxes are paid on or before the 15th day of December, the July penalty of 5 per cent will be cancelled.  
B. H. GREEN, Secy-Treas.  
Municipal District of Kinross, No. 424

#### NOTICE

Any person found cutting the fence and trespassing on the north half of section 9-46-9-4. will be prosecuted.  
Stp Bryce Innis, Irma.

#### BIG SLASH ON MEALS

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**KINSELLA HOTEL**  
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## Main Street

E. W. Carter, editor of The Times, will be pleased to receive news items at any time from the surrounding districts. It is a good idea for societies organizing for the winter to appoint a press reporter.

The November meeting of the W. M. S. will be held at the home of Mrs. Reeds on Thursday next, November 17th.

The bazaar last Thursday was quite a success in view of present conditions. The fancy work realized a nice sum, while the supper proved to be a real success. A sum in the neighborhood of \$45.00 was taken.

J. G. Clark has left to spend the winter at Trail, B.C.  
Miss Bothwell, teacher of Jarro school, spent the week end in Irma with her sister, Miss Clara Bothwell, A.T.C.M.

We understand there is to be a boxing tournament in Edmonton on November 15th, where a number of well known Irma boys will take part. Red Larson, Geo. Dawson and Geo. McLean will do their stuff in the preliminaries, while the main bout of 15 rounds, between Shorty Russell of Edmonton and Jack Nichols of Chauvin, 135 lb. class, and will be refereed by Curly Kid Archibald of Irma.

Mr. Ostad of Viking, son-in-law of O. Lovig, has read J. R. Lovig's eulogy for the winter and intends moving his family the last of this week.

Telephone news items to E. W. Carter, No. 39, or write them down and hand them in as early before Wednesday of each week.

Advertising rates are now published elsewhere in The Times for the benefit of advertisers.  
An ad in The Times will produce results.  
Messrs. J. Fletcher and H. Kasten have returned from their hunting trip west of Edmonton where they were successful in bringing down a moose and deer.

Mr. I. T. Skiles, who was confined to his home for a few days last week, is able to be around again.

Mr. I. S. Reeds, teacher of the Irma High School, has been attending the High School Teachers' Convention in Edmonton since Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. McCartney's son, Edwin, was operated on in the Wainwright hospital for appendicitis on Monday, the 7th inst.

Messrs. J. Fletcher and Henry Kasten have been away the past week on a hunting trip.

#### TUXIS NOTES

Some 24 fellows turned out to the last meeting of the "Deereayers" Tuxis Squares, held Thursday, November 3. During the heavy business meeting we had reports from the gymnasium committee who showed splendid progress in having volleyball and net, boxing gloves, punching bag and stand, and gymnastic rings completed and installed, with promise to parallel bars by next meeting. Three sides were picked for competition in athletic during the next month. After exercising our lungs with the Tuxis Yell, we went through some boxing instruction given by the Curly Kid, who had kindly come in for the evening. After various other games, we closed with a good night talk and the Omaha Tribal Prayer.

Judging by the number who complained of sore muscles after the meeting, our physical program is going over with a bang.

Again we extend an invitation to all those fellows 15 years and older who have not yet joined in our program. Even if it is necessary to come in some distance from the country, we feel that you will find it well worth your while.

RAY LOCKE, Scriptor.

#### Large and Active Attendance at Farmers' Meeting

(Continued from Page One)

**Cream**  
Seventeen cents per lb. for special butterfat—30 per cent of four years ago.  
**Bacon Hogs**  
\$2.40 per cwt. and 50 cents off for butchers.

**Beef**  
\$1.00 to \$2.75 per cwt.  
**Lambs**  
\$2.50 to \$2.80.  
**Sheep**, no quotation.

**Wool**  
Two and three quarter cents per lb. Two fleeces for one pair of socks. 1000 lbs. for a wool suit. Hides, cannot be sold.

**IN CONTRAST TO THIS—**  
Members of parliament indemnities reduced 10 per cent.  
Civil service reduced 10 per cent.  
Interest charges, no reduction.  
Elevator charges, no reduction.  
Railway freights, no reduction.  
Telephone rates, no reduction.  
Lake freights, RAISED 100 per cent.

**Farm implements**, war time prices.  
Oil and gas, double the United States price and only a few days since the dumping duty was removed.

Farmers are exercising their resistance to sales at the present time but in the meantime while values are equalizing interest charges will consume their equity.

We realize that world conditions press heavily upon our markets. Many of these conditions are aggravated and the burden on the farmers made more unbearable by acts of the government. As farmers we are willing as staunch Canadians to take our fair share of these burdens but we do state most emphatically that we are bearing more than our share.

Reductions in salaries and wages of members of parliament and civil servants, of railway employees, of bank employees or managers or directors, we might quite easily other calling which is partially or wholly under government control or does not have most free competition and in none of them will the reduction in income

compare with the reduction in farm income. This in many cases having dropped to 20 per cent, not of wages or profit, but of gross income.

As between Canadian and Canadian we demand that there be a prompt move toward equalizing the burden of these oppressive times. We are penalized by price inflation when we are and by price deflation when we sell.

A dollar has an abnormal value. We direct your attention to these matters in the penance and constitutional manner and we would earnestly suggest that the time is now ripe for action by the government.

#### RESOLUTIONS

Eleven resolutions were duly considered by the meeting and finally passed. They were:

1.—We hereby ask the government of the province and the government of the Dominion to pass a moratorium of two years on all capital farm investments with interest and penalties waived for that period.

2.—We ask that elevator handling charges and storage rates be reduced by fifty per cent.

3.—We ask that all freight charges on all farm products be reduced by twenty-five per cent.

4.—We demand that seasonal indemnities of members of the provincial house and civil servants' salaries be reduced by fifty per cent.

5.—We demand that seasonal indemnities for Dominion members be reduced fifty per cent.

6.—We hereby demand as our just right on account of discriminating Dominion laws that a bonus of 10 cents per bushel be paid on the 1932 crop of wheat. With other special consideration where crops have been hailed.

7.—We pledge ourselves today to ship our grain by other routes than Eastern Lake and rail, as a protest against the raising of lake freight charges.

8.—We demand that the government of the Dominion of Canada go off the gold standard at once.

9.—We demand that the provincial government repeal the Act fixing teachers' salaries at not less than \$840 per annum at once.

10.—Be it resolved, that we as taxpayers of the Viking district protest against the excessively high rate of municipal taxes and we demand that our respective councils do not levy a rate higher than one-quarter of the current taxes.

11.—We demand that all telephone rates be reduced by one dollar per month.

The meeting throughout was very orderly and conducted in proper decorum. The crowd was good natured and gave each speaker generous applause for points that were brought out from time to time on the resolutions under discussion.

The committee of seventeen that sponsored the meeting was Messrs. B. C. Gilpin, Jas. Milne, W. H. Wallace, W. Bissell, W. A. Walker, R. K. Kennedy, R. H. Roddick, Wm. H. Emery, T. A. A. Almgren, F. Rozmahel, J. G. Dobry, Fred Hanson, W. E. McDonald, W. J. Dillane, A. Lefrud, A. A. Long. The committee expects to function permanently and will hold another meeting which will be announced in due time.

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